Weather
Threatening weather today. The maximum temperature yesterday was 79.5 and the minimum 58.8 the figures for the corresponding day last year being 85.5 and 58.1.

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PEKING QUESTIONS JAPAN'S DECISION ON CONSORTIUM

Tokio's Unwillingness To Participate Not Taken As Final

MEANS ISOLATION

Action Believed To Pave Way For Further Discussion

POWERS WILL ACT

Opinion Is Project Is At Point That Precludes Abandonment

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, September 23.—Peking circles consider Japan's reply to the United States regarding the proposed Consortium that owing to the peculiar state of Mongolia and Manchuria and the relation they occupy to Japan she feels that she must be excluded from the Consortium, a diplomatic move for opening the way to discussions in which Japan's special position in regard to Manchuria and Mongolia may be recognised in some way favorable to Japan rather than a definite decision to remain outside the Consortium, if Manchuria and Mongolia are not excluded from the scope of the Consortium.

Would Isolate Japan

It is pointed out that such isolation would be to the utmost disadvantage of Japan and would lead perhaps to isolation in other respects which would be still more harmful, and that no one really believes that Japan is inviting such isolation.

Not To Abandon Project

As regards the attitude of the other Powers, if Japan remains outside, opinion here is firmly decisive that the Consortium has reached a point which precludes its abandonment.

The absence of news of Japan's replies to the French and British governments is taken to indicate that those countries consider the matter still in a condition for negotiation.

American Court Told Of Filipino's Heroism

Boatswain Lost After Volunteering For Hazardous Duty, Captain Testifies

"Life lost in a typhoon through volunteering for especially hazardous duty," such is the brief story of heroism and sacrifice entered yesterday on the records of the United States Court for China for Tomas Gonzago, boatswain of the American bark, Chin Pu. The vessel, with masts broken and rigging gone lay in the lower river undergoing repairs, while her master, Captain A. Raab, appeared before the court to make affidavit of the sailor's death and arrange for the proper disposal of the dead man's effects.

"First we were held up by a calm and then the typhoon struck us," explained the captain before Commissioner N. E. Lurton. "It was off the south end of Japan at about 32 degrees north by 128 east. The rigging was torn to bits and it was certain that the main mast would come down unless something was down to cut away the tangle above. I called for volunteers and Gonzago came forward. The two of us went up. The jerking and pitching was too much. It shook him loose and though I grabbed for him I only got part of his clothing. He fell, striking the topsail yard, and from that glanced into the sea. There was never a chance to save him."

Gonzago was 28 years old and shipped from Manila on March 2.

Britain And France Swept By Cold Wave

Snow Covers Remircourt Hills And Falls Heavily In North Of England

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, September 22.—The temperature has suddenly dropped in France and the cold is beginning to be seriously felt. Snow covers the hills around Remircourt in the Vosges and in England there has been a frost in the Thames valley while snow has fallen heavily in Yorkshire, Devonshire, Cumberland and North Wales.

Peace Treaty Under Fire In Paris; Its Revision In French Chamber Is Urged

American Senate Contest Apparently Is Factor Influencing Press In Criticisms Calling For Changes In Pact

(American Press Wireless)

Paris, September 18.—Following the recommendations for revision of the Treaty of Peace by the Foreign Relations Committee of the American Senate, the French press has taken a stand generally for revisions by the French Chamber.

The great bulk of the Press is criticising the treaty generally declaring that the treaty is unsatisfactory and is openly urging revision.

"It is necessary to profoundly revise the work which appears to appease no one and which does not furnish the desired guarantees of peace to a single people," one journal declares editorially. "All reservations which were made to the treaty by the French chamber are justified by the attitude of the American Senate who like ourselves have taken resolution not to become responsible for it. Despite vivid eloquence in its behalf, our decision remains unchanged."

Question About Revision

The La Verite says: "According to certain papers Clemenceau himself says that it is unrevisable. But why shouldn't it be revised? What would be obtained by long Chamber discussions if it is incorrect, even if it is the best manner possible of a diplomatic instrument which is indefinite because it is not yet returned? That is the way the American Senate seems to look at it and there is no reason why the French Chamber should not do the same. If Clemenceau is sincerely sorry for having failed he cannot do better than to permit the Treaty to be revised imposing his authority more strongly than ever on those questions that most interest us. First and most important of these will be the disarmament of not only Germany but all other belligerents including all armament on earth, sea and sky. Also prohibit the manufacture of munitions. That is what all peoples demand and that alone will insure peace and end war."

La Verite declares: "Although we were the first to sustain those who stood for the improving of the Treaty, little by little the Chamber discussions for revision seem to express both the national and international desires of the various parliaments who have come to insist that the treaty be modified on certain points before ratification. Even the French government which at first seemed in a hurry to secure ratification now appears to encourage and hope for lengthy discussions. Certainly France would not be sorry to have followed the decisions of the American Senate. In any event the treaty can no longer be intangible and present peace can be considered as based on that which is revisable."

Revision Program Prepared

The Lection Francaise says: "In the event that the American Senate decides that Europe should be left to Europeans and reject the treaty, what will France do? As a matter of fact the clear cut opinion which now dominates the Peace Conference is if the Treaty be revised it will be done along the line of reservations announced recently by the Chamber commission which considered the Treaty. The French program along that line is already prepared in advance. As to how our program would be received by our Allies, those fully in touch with the Peace Conference circles are convinced that with the Supreme Council of five already reduced to three members, two to one of these would support France on contestable points wherein she is interested and that upon a full second examination at its table that the support would be unanimous and not a single condition which we demand would be essentially modified. The members of the Chamber Senate commissions which have the Treaty in their hands are awaiting with confidence any eventuality relative to the American decision and are ready to support the Government fully in whatever policy imposed by the American's decision."

MANY WAITING PASSAGE TO EAST FROM BRITAIN

Believed Present Congestion Will Continue For Another Six Week

(Reuter's Service)

London, September 19.—The Times writes: "There are now 15,000 people waiting for passages to the East, mostly business men and the wives and families of men in the East. Practically the only available accommodation is any which may fall vacant at the last moment. It is believed that the shortage of accommodation for civilians will last another six weeks or two month."

The India Office denies having requisitioned berths in steamers which were not filled. The stories of wasted berths are said to have originated in a recent muddle when 20 berths were unoccupied. The India Office was not responsible for this.

More Czecho-Slovaks Will Leave Siberia

Supreme Council Decides To Repatriate 50,000 Still Remaining There

(French Wireless To Reuter)

Paris, September 22.—(Via Lyons and Koukaza).—The Supreme Council has decided on the repatriation of the 50,000 Czecho-Slovak soldiers still in Siberia.

Steamer Imperator Becomes Cunarder

(Reuter's Service)

New York, September 20.—The Cunard Steamship Company have secured the ex-German liner Imperator, 52,000 tons, for the Atlantic service.

U.S. NAVAL EXPANSION ON PACIFIC IS PLANNED

Additional Drydock And Yards To Be Asked From Congress, Says Secretary Daniels

(American Wireless Service)

Washington, September 22.—Mr. Daniels, Secretary of the Navy, announced that as a result of his visit to the Pacific Coast he would soon ask Congress to vote the establishment of an additional dry dock, navy yard and other ship-building facilities there.

Puget Sound and San Francisco, he said, would be the two chief bases for the Pacific Fleet with dreadnaughts and cruisers distributed equally between the two ports while smaller vessels, destroyers, submarines, supply ships and auxiliary craft would be based at smaller ports on the Pacific Coast.

SINN FEIN NEWSPAPERS IN DUBLIN SUPPRESSED

London Says Action Was Due To Report Of Loan That Radicals Proposed

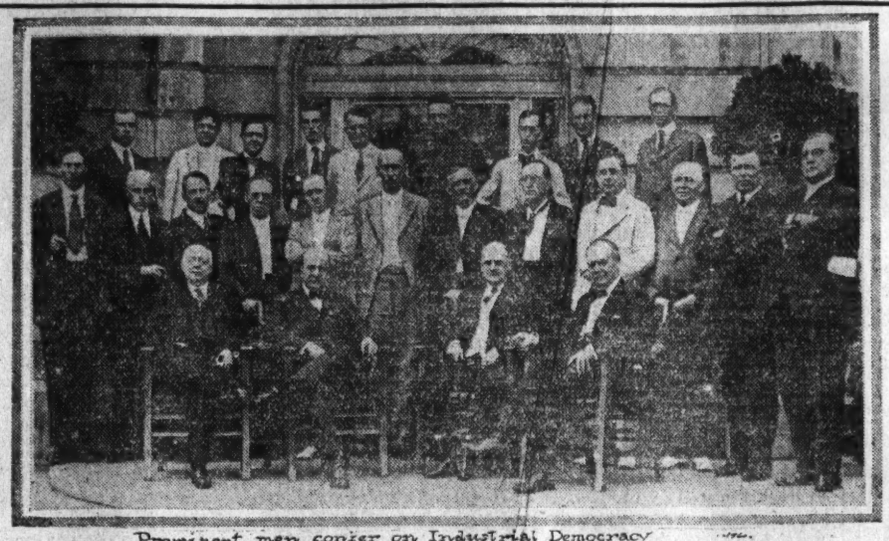
(Reuter's Service)

London, September 21.—The suppression of the Irish newspapers in Dublin yesterday was due to the publication of a prospectus of a Sinn Fein national loan. It is believed that all the newspapers will be revived shortly, and renamed, as the authorities are willing to return the essential parts of the presses which were seized.

Five Papers Suppressed

Dublin, September 21.—The five chief Sinn Fein organs and the transport workers' newspapers were suppressed here yesterday, a force of police and military rendering the presses unworkable.

Men Of National Prominence Attend Industrial Democracy Convention In Washington



Prominent men confer on Industrial Democracy

Men of national prominence, representing many shades of political and social opinion in the United States, gathered in conference in Washington, D. C., recently at the Industrial Democracy convention. In the group shown here, first row, sitting, left to right—Edward W. Bemis, Henry J. Allen, Judge Walton Clark, of North Carolina, and Edward F. Dunne, former Governor of Illinois. Second row, left to right—R. S. Sexton, J. A. H. Hopkins, Morris L. Cooke, J. J. Forrester, J. F. Anderson, A. B. Carretson, Glenn Plumb, author of the tri-partite railroad plan; H. E. Wills, Edward Keating, P. J. McNamara, Frank P. Walsh, ex-Governor of Pennsylvania, and William M. Clark, Third row, left to right—Patrick Lob, C. C. Dill, Marlin E. Pew, Ray Clung, Frederick Howe, Captain O. S. Royer, Jr., B. M. Manly, Lincoln Calcord and H. B. Brougham.

BELIEVED WANG YI-TANG INTENDS TO LEAVE CITY

Northern Delegation Head Is Denounced On Posters; New Protests Reach Peking

Local opposition against Mr. Wang Yi-tang, the Northern peace delegate, reached a climax yesterday when flags and posters appeared in the main streets, denouncing the Peking plenipotentiary. "We have too much self-respect to meet a traitrous delegate" was the inscription on a common poster that appeared in many places.

Early in the day, a report was circulated that a special train would leave for Hangchow to convey the Northern delegates to the Chekiang Capital, because it was said that they were unable to stand the humiliation. But it was learned late in the afternoon that Mr. Wang was still at the Arsenal while his family remains in Mr. Hardoon's garden. One report said Mr. Wang wished to leave, together with General Lu Yung-hsiang, the Chekiang Tuchun, but the pressure of work of the latter here had made Wang change his mind.

Mr. Fan Ji-chung, representating General Wu Pei-fu, the commander of the Northern Expeditionary Forces in Hunan, arrived in Shanghai yesterday. Mr. Fan will watch for the interest of General Wu at the internal peace conference when the sessions are called.

South Again Protests

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Sept. 20.—Further telegrams have been received from the Canton administration opposing Mr. Wang Yi-tang as head of the Northern Delegation and pointing out that there is no dearth of able men in the North to whom the Southerners would not object.

The South fears that Mr. Wang would not be impartial and urged another appointment, in the interest of the people.

Miners In Lorraine Call General Strike

Fifty Thousand Iron Workers In London Also Quit Jobs Demanding Increases

(Reuter's Service)

Metz, September 21.—The miners in Lorraine have decided on a general strike tomorrow. They demand a minimum wage of 18 francs a day and recognition of their union.

British Iron Workers Out

London, September 21.—Fifty thousand iron-founders have struck demanding 15/- weekly increase in wages.

Fiume Raiders Order Germans, Croats And Magyars Out Of City

D'Annunzio With 2,000 Troops Is Holding Port With All Communications Cut

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, September 21.—According to a Geneva telegram to Le Temps the Italian legion at Fiume has ordered all Croats, Magyars and Germans to leave immediately.

Situation Is Unchanged

London, September 20.—Reuter's Agency learns that the situation regarding Fiume is unchanged. It is estimated that D'Annunzio controls 2,000 troops and sailors. All communications are cut, and there is no reliable information reaching outside.

Report In Rome

Rome, September 22.—The Acenzia Stefani publishes the following note: The reports published by several newspapers during the last few days regarding events in Fiume are remarkably exaggerated and in some cases without any foundation, especially as regards the forces in Fiume and the indications of the corps to which they belong. In the neighborhood of the armistice line and in Dalmatia movements of Jugo-Slav troops and a concentration of detachments made up of Jugo-Slav volunteers and their allies have been observed.

Volunteers Stopped At Sea

Rome, September 21.—It is reported from Trieste that an Italian destroyer stopped the former German liner Prinz von Hohenlohe with 500 volunteers for D'Annunzio's force at Fiume.

Malta, September 21.—The British troops from Fiume have arrived here on board the warships Ceres and Cardiff.

AMERICANS TO DISCUSS FOREIGN TRADE POLICY

Question To Be Discussed At Convention Of Manufacturers In October

(American Press Wireless)

New York, September 17.—The commercial interests of the United States are uniting to determine a definite plan of action regarding trade regulations with other countries at the convention of the American Manufacturers' Association which is to be held October 16 and 17.

Empress And Tenyo Will Omit Shanghai

The Empress of Asia of the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services and the Toyo Kisen Kaisha liner Tenyo Maru will omit Shanghai on the next trip to North America because Japanese quarantine regulations against this port continue in force The Empress was scheduled to sail from Shanghai on October 4 for Vancouver.

EXCHANGE AGAIN RISES; RECORD RATE ON LONDON

American Dollars Sold At 134½ With Sterling Quoted At 6s. 5¾d.

Exchange on London and America rose again yesterday and the market closed very firm. Transactions were made that made the Mexican dollar but slightly less in value than the United States dollar and business with London was done at 6s. 5½d. and even 6s. 5¾d., the highest rate in history.

Business with New York was done at 134, 134¼ and even at 134½ yet the buying was not brisk. Exchange brokers and bankers reported that it was an ordinary business day despite the high rates ruling.

The export business has not been hit as hard as expected. Big exporters say that the tremendous increase in prices of all commodities sold in the United States and Great Britain allow exporters to continue business with profit at the present exchange rates.

LOCAL MAN KILLS SELF ABOARD RIVER STEAMER

Mr. Thomas H. Hadley Commits Suicide Aboard Hsin Peking Monday

Mr. Thomas Henry Hadley of the staff of Messrs. L. Moore and Company committed suicide Monday evening aboard the Hsin Peking while on his way to Ningpo. A telegram received yesterday by the local offices of Messrs. Butterfield and Swire merely brought the news that he had shot himself and no details are obtainable until the steamer arrives this morning from Ningpo. The telegram was evidently sent as soon as possible after the Hsin Peking arrived at Ningpo yesterday morning.

The body will arrive in Shanghai today and will be taken to the Mortuary where an inquest will be held which will later be remanded to the British Supreme Court. British authorities were notified yesterday.

Mr. Hadley was well known in Shanghai. He was married about six months ago and lived at Range Road.

America May Install New Pacific Cable

Senate Committee Considering Laying Of New Line By Government

(American Wireless Service)

Washington, September 22.—The Chief of the Eastern Division of the Bureau of Commerce told the Senate Committee that the proposal that more Pacific cables should be laid to develop American trade with the Far East would be seriously considered. The Committee is considering the laying of a Government cable across the Pacific.

SUPREME COUNCIL SOON TO CONSIDER TRIAL OF KAISER

British Attorney General Has Report Ready On Question

TROOPS NOT SENT

Believed Military Forces Will Not Be Ordered Into Silesia

GERMANS IN PARIS

Teutons Arranging For Official Quarters In French Capital

(French Wireless To Reuter)

London, September 22.—It is announced that the British Attorney General, Sir Gordon Hewart, has finished his report on the subject of the trial of the ex-Kaiser. The report will be submitted to the Supreme Allied Council.

Not To Occupy Silesia

London, September 20.—Apparently the Supreme Council has not adopted the recommendation of the Allied Military Mission in Upper Silesia urging that Allied troops should occupy Upper Silesia. According to a semi-official statement from Berlin a German police force under Allied supervision will be formed in the southern part of East Prussia for the period of the plebiscite, and there is to be no foreign occupation so long as order is preserved.

Asks About Memel

Berlin, September 21.—Germany is presenting a note to the Peace Conference asking for speedy decision regarding the destiny of the Memel district.

Official Quarters Sought By Teutons In Paris

(French Wireless)

Paris, September 22.—Baron von Lessner has addressed to the secretary general of the peace conference a note concerning housing arrangements for the representatives of Germany in Paris after ratification of the treaty by parliament. He states that the premises of the embassy are too small to take in all the members of the various commissions which for a long time still will have to go backwards and forwards between Paris and Berlin, besides the number of secretaries and typists attached to these commissions. Baron von Lessner has rented in the Champs de Mars three houses which are at present being fitted up.

Germans Will Annul Clause Of Constitution

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, September 20.—The German note to the peace conference agrees to the annulment of article LXI of the German constitution providing for union with Austria. Germany protests at the ironical tone of the Allied note dealing with the German Government's explanations, and says that the Allies are not entitled "to wound Germany's feelings."

Rome, September 22.—Signor Tittoni who has just arrived here expresses complete satisfaction at the attitude of Allied circles in Paris and especially of French circles towards Italy.

Ministers Visit Antwerp

(French Wireless)

Paris, September 22.—(Via Lyons and Koukaza).—The French Ministers who are present in Belgium for the Interallied Economic Conference visited the port of Antwerp yesterday.

Melbourne House Ratifies

(Reuter's Service)

Melbourne, September 19.—The House of Representatives passed without a division the Peace Treaty and the agreement to defend France.

U.S. MAIL OUT TODAY

Mail to the United States by direct boat closes today at 6 o'clock for first class matter and at 5 o'clock for registered mail.

LOYALISTS IN SIBERIA GAINING, IS REPORTED

Vladivostok Stirred By Rumor That Revolutionaries Are Planning Uprising

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Harbin, September 23.—The following official communique has been issued in Omsk: "In the direction of Yalaturovsk our troops successfully pushing on have occupied Omutinskaia station, eighty versts east of Yalaturovsk. South of the railway we have occupied fortified position forty versts east of the Tobol river. In the direction of Kurgan we have broken the enemy's stubborn resistance. In the Morhishinskaia region the enemy is in full retreat."

Admiral Kolchak has issued an order to the troops of the third army operating in the above regions thanking them for their valiant conduct.

According to reports from Vladivostok rumors that some social revolutionaries intend to carry out a *coup d'etat* against the government in Vladivostok are causing the population great anxiety. At the same time the moderate elements are said to consider these rumors to be inspired by the anti-government elements who are employing the usual Bolshevists methods.

The Vestnik Manchuria learns that General Inogaki, commander of the Allied garrison at Vladivostok, has issued a proclamation to the population declaring that the Allied policy is to help Russia but not to interfere in Russia's internal politics. He adds that nevertheless the Allied troops are responsible for maintaining order in the town and are prepared to suppress all disorders in Vladivostok and its outskirts by armed force.

RAIL RIGHTS QUESTION AROUSES MONGOLIANS

Protest To Peking Says Omsk Cannot Cede Privileges To Japanese

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Peking, September 20.—The Mongolian Government has been alarmed by the reported decision of the Kolchak Government to cede Russia's right to construct railways across Mongolia to Japan and has now sent an urgent message to the Peking Government through Chen Yi, the Chinese Resident at Urga. In this message the Government of Outer Mongolia points out that some time back it signed an agreement with the then Russian Government providing that the right to build railway lines in Outer Mongolia should henceforth be the exclusive privilege of the Government and princes of Outer Mongolia. Hence the Kolchak Government has no right to interfere in the question of railway concessions through Outer Mongolia, the more so as the Mongolian Government has never granted any concessions for the construction of railways in its territory.

The Outer Mongolian Government goes on to say that it has recently learned that the Kolchak Government has transferred its alleged railway rights in Mongolia to Japan in return for a loan from that country. As, however, the Kolchak Government has no railway concessions in Outer Mongolia to give away, the Outer Mongolians herewith protest the action of Kolchak's Government as illegal and unjust; and they have already sent a telegram to Omsk in this sense. In the meantime the assistance of the Chinese Government is requested in this matter.

Lord French Prints Letter From Asquith

Communication From Former Premier Appears In New Preface Of Book

(Reuter's Service)

London, September 19.—Lord French in a new preface of his book "1914" publishes a letter from Mr. Asquith dated May, 1915, in which Mr. Asquith says that he notes that Lord French finds that the 4.7 gun is practically useless and that he wants a substantially higher percentage of high explosives. "I wont forget this," says Mr. Asquith.

It was in reply to this letter that Lord French wrote to Mr. Asquith acknowledging his "unfailing sympathy and encouragement."

May Change Location Of School Convention Scheduled For Tokio

Sunday School Union Of China Wants World Meeting Held Elsewhere

Following a scattered series of resolutions from different parts of China, the sentiment of protest against the next World's Sunday School convention being held in Tokio came to a climax Monday at a meeting of the China Sunday School Union Executive Council in Shanghai. Already the situation has reached a point, in the opinion of prominent Christian leaders, where the international meeting announced for October of next year must be changed to some other country or a large section of the world will boycott the convention.

Some twenty members of the China Sunday School Union Council, together with invited guests prominent in the Christian movement in China, met at the headquarters of the China Continuation Committee. They were called by Mr. E. G. Tewksbury, general secretary of the union, to make plans for China's part in the great convention of next year. Mr. Tewksbury submitted his instructions from the headquarters of the World Sunday School Society in New York. They called for a publicity and educational campaign, a committee to work up enthusiasm and enlist workers to attend. When he called for assistants the storm broke.

Resolutions from two general conferences of foreign missionaries held this past summer were submitted. Each of those resolutions insisted that Japan is no fit place for holding a Christian gathering. One points out that the blood of Korean Christian martyrs is fresh on the hands of those officials who would welcome the Sunday School League to Japan.

The Chinese in the meeting were unanimous in their opposition. Not one of their nationality would attend, they said, and one speaker pointed out how on the ship by which he recently returned from America not one Chinese put foot on Japanese soil, though the ship stopped in Yokohama and other ports long enough for both sightseeing and shopping.

Dr. J. Leighton Stuart recently elected president of Peking university was present and threw his weight with those who would have the conference moved.

It was pointed out that the program for that convention is entitled "World Progress and Internationalism." The Japanese attitude, it was argued, has been not only un-Christian but opposed to world progress and internationalism.

Final action was left in the hands of a committee to take up with the international headquarters in New York by cable. In case that headquarters fails to take the action desired another meeting will be called to determine what public steps and declarations shall be made.

CHAPEI FIRE ENDANGERS HOUSES IN SETTLEMENT

Blaze Destroys Buildings At Sing Woo-kee Yard But Is Held

Fire early last night destroyed the buildings at Sing Woo-kee's contracting yard in Chapei. The yard is on the street that is a continuation of Boundary Road and the burning buildings were so close to Range Road residences that the Settlement Fire Department was able to give the Chapei firemen effective assistance.

The blaze had a tremendous start yet the stable owned by Mr. Gustav Lubec and dwelling houses within 20 feet of the burning buildings were saved. Eight ponies in the Lubec stable were turned loose by the mafoos and were uninjured. Over 100 wheelbarrows and handcarts in the yard and under temporary sheds were burned.

Had not an alarm been sounded in the International Settlement, the fire would have done much more damage as the water pressure in Chapei was very poor. Settlement firemen laid lines from Range Road.

Damage done by Monday night's fire at the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha mill, known as the Fook Sing Flour Company No. 2, will probably total Taels 125,000, it was learned yesterday. The mill, which was situated at 5 Mokanshan Road, was in the center of a group of twelve godowns and on the East side was a bean cake godown. The flames were confined within the mill which was a total loss. The adjacent structures were not damaged. It is estimated that property totaling between Tls. 2,000,000 and Tls. 3,000,000 was saved.

PEKING GIVEN REPORT ON WARSHIP AT HAIFONG

Captain Chin Says Difficulty May Arise Unless North And South Conclude Peace

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Sept. 20.—Captain Chin, who was recently sent to Haifong to negotiate regarding the return of the Chinese warship left there last year by General Lung Chi-kuang, has arrived at his destination and reports that the Southern squadron could secure the vessel if it were passing through those waters. Otherwise difficulties would arise unless peace were restored between the North and the South.

Chinese League Head Welcomed In America

(American Wireless Service)

San Francisco, September 22.—The Chinese here welcomed Mr. Lum Chick-mai, head of the China National League.

Longwy Is Honored By Poincare On Tour

President Announces Germans Who Were Active There Will Be Punished

(French Wireless To Reuter)

Paris, September 22.—(Via Lyons and Koukaza).—President Poincare has completed a tour of the devastated regions of Lorraine, in the course of which he presented the Legion of Honor to the town of Longwy.

Germans Will Be Punished

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Sept. 21.—President Poincare in presenting the cross of the Legion of Honor to the town of Longwy said that in accordance with the terms of the Peace Treaty the officers of the 22nd, 125th and the 14th German regiments who had taken part in the fires and murders at Longwy would be called on to appear before a French court martial.

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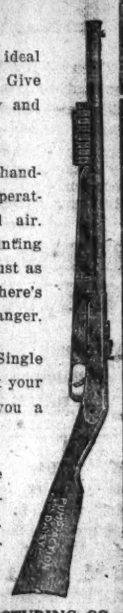

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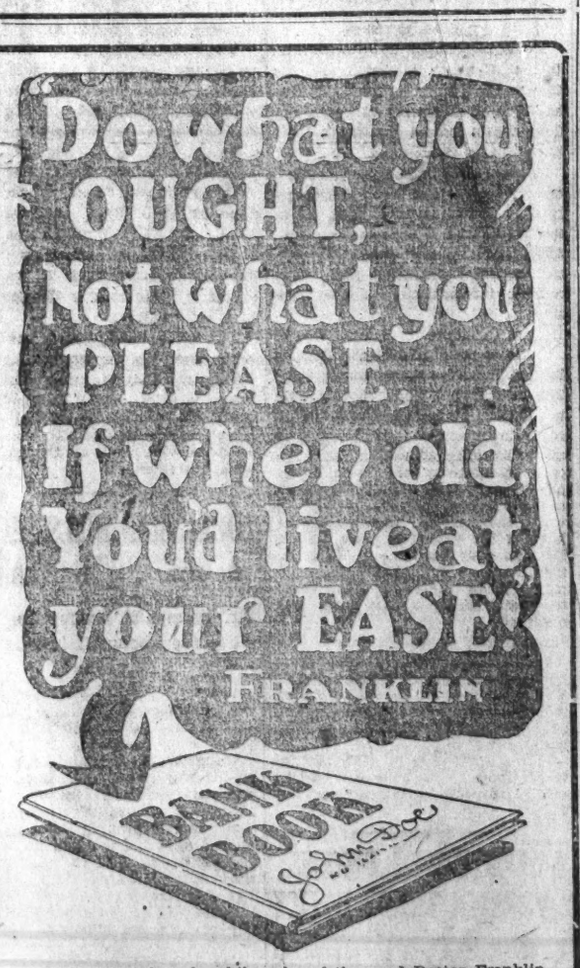

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CONFLICTING REPORTS COMING FROM PETROGRAD

One Is Soviet Is Seeking To Effect Peace On Terms Laid Down By Allies

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, September 21.—The latest news from Russia is conflicting. It is reported from Petrograd that the Soviet Government is resolved to enter into peace negotiations with the Entente, on the basis laid down by the latter.

On the other hand, it is stated that Trotsky has informed the Soviet that several Bashkirian divisions will shortly reinforce the garrison at Petrograd and the troops on the northwest front.

EARLY PEACE HOPED FOR BY SULTAN OF TURKEY

Expresses Strong Opposition To Greek Occupation Of Anatolian Centers

(*Reuter's Service*)

Paris, September 21.—The Sultan of Turkey in an interview with the Constantinople correspondent of the Journal des Debats dwelt on the unsettled state of Turkey owing to the non-conclusion of peace. The Sultan said he hoped that the peace negotiations would be speedily finished and expressed strong opposition to the Greek occupation of a national towns.

SUNDAY POSTAL CHANGES IN EFFECT IN FRANCE

New Regulations Were Applied For First Time On September 21

(*French Wireless To Reuter*)

Paris, September 22.—(Via Lyons and Koukaza).—The new regulations ordering a Sunday holiday with a reduction of the postal and telegraphic services were applied for the first time yesterday throughout France.

AWARD FOR MARSHAL TUAN

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, Sept. 20.—The Press Bureau reports that Marshal Tuan was greatly pleased at receiving the Grand Order of Merit in recognition of his services towards bringing China into the war.

Another Plea Is Sent By Armenia To Allies

Nation Must Perish If It Is Abandoned, Says Message Received

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, September 20.—A message from the Armenian Parliament appeals to the Parliaments of the Entente to prevent the annihilation of Armenia by hordes of Turks, Kurds and Tartars, headed by Turkish regular officers who, it says, are invading Armenia and massacring the inhabitants, encouraged by the inaction of the Powers. The message adds: "The whole of the Armenian manhood has been mobilised to save their country, but the fight is unequal. Armenia abandoned and inadequately armed and munitioned must perish."

FRANCE'S PEACE ARMY TO NUMBER 350,000 MEN

Compulsory Service Will Be Reduced From Three Years To One Year

(*Reuter's Service*)

Paris, September 20.—The future peace army of France will number 350,000 men. Universal compulsory service will be reduced from three years to one year. This will produce 200,000 men while enlistments and re-enlistments will produce 150,000. France will retain two home army corps and one colonial army corps in North Africa. Six infantry divisions and one cavalry division are earmarked for the Rhine.

Three Liners Bring Total Of 630 Persons

Tenyo, With Record List Of 271 Passengers, Leads Ecuador And Empress

Three trans-Pacific liners, the Tenyo Maru, Empress of Asia and Ecuador, brought 630 passengers to Shanghai from North America and Japan ports. The Tenyo, arriving on Monday, landed the record number, 271. On the Empress of Asia, which reached here on Saturday from Vancouver, there were 270 passengers for Shanghai. Eighty-nine came on the Ecuador, which docked Friday.

JAPANESE NAVAL WORK DELAYED BY SABOTAGE

Indications Seen Tie-Up In Kobe Dock Yards May Spread To Others

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Kobe, September 22.—The dockyard workers continue their sabotage with the result that the construction of destroyers and submarines will be delayed.

There are indications that the trouble may spread to the branch works owned by the same company as well as to other works. Already the Kubota ironworks at Osaka have been affected.

PRINCE OF WALES GIVEN GLIMPSES OF ROCKIES

Royal Visitor Is Welcomed At Points Of Route In British Columbia

(*Reuter's Service*)

Revelstoke, Sept. 20.—The Prince of Wales has arrived here after a magnificient journey through the Rockies. He was loudly cheered at all the wayside station amongst others by a party of Sikh carpenters from Jullundur who are working in saw mills. The prince was also enthusiastically greeted by a homeward bound contingent of the Middlesex regiment from Siberia. He attended the dedication ceremony of Revelstoke park, motored 2,000 feet up Revelstoke mountain, and received and replied to a civic address read by the Mayor.

Lost Spanish Steamer Found In Quicksands

Three Hundred And Sixty People From The Valbanera Are Missing

(*Reuter's Service*)

New York, September 20.—The hull of the Spanish steamer Valbanera was found embedded in the quicksands off Rebecca Shoals, 40 miles from Key West. The s.s. Valbanera, which was bound to New York from Havana, had been missing since a hurricane in the Gulf of Mexico ten days ago. Three hundred and sixty passengers and a crew of 50 are missing.

Munich Communists Pay Death Penalty

(*Reuter's Service*)

Munich, September 19.—Six communists have been executed for the murder of hostages during the Bolshevik regime.

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Mr. Hsu Shih-ying, former Minister of Communications, who has been here on governmental mission, left for Nanking yesterday. A large number of officials were present at the station to bid him farewell, including Nantao Police Chief Hsu Kuo-liang and Managing Director C. P. Yin of the Shanghai Nanking Railway. The Nantao Police Band rendered suitable musical selections.

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The steamer Justin arrived from Hankow Saturday and is now in dry dock preparatory to her departure to America Friday.

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Invitations have been issued by the Shanghai branch of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union for the opening meeting of the year, a social tea from 4:30 to 6 on October 2. A welcoming address will be given by the vice-president, Dr. Margaret H. Polk. The affair will be held in the Union Church lecture hall.

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President H. Madier of the French Chamber of Commerce of Shanghai has been made a chevalier of the Legion of Honor in recognition of his services for French interests in China.

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Lenoir Gets Reprieve At Hour Of Execution

Comment He Made Concerning Caillaux Led To Order For Delay

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, September 20.—The circumstances of the reprieve of Lenior who was sentenced to death for high treason, were most dramatic. His counsel informed him on Thursday evening that M. Poincare declined to intervene in his favor. The firing squad took up a position at the moat at Vincennes at 6:45 yesterday morning. Officials entered his cell at 5:30 a.m., and found the young millionaire dressing. In reply to questions Lenior protested his innocence and made a statement relative to Caillaux which decided the Government commissary to telephone to the Military Governor of Paris, who retelephoned to various authorities with the result that Lenior, after a three hours wait, was informed that a respite had been granted him.

Liner With Troops From Russia Grounds

Steamer Vidic Runs Ashore On Orkneys In Gale But Is Refloated Safely

(Reuter's Service)

London, September 20.—The White Star liner Vidic, 8,000-tons burden, having 2,000 troops from North Russia on board, ran ashore on the Orkneys last night in a gale. There were no casualties.

The Vidic was refloated later and proceeded by her own steam to Leith.

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TENNIS DOUBLES FINALS TOMORROW AFTERNOON

Sheldon And Pott To Play Barrett And Touissant; Semi-Finals Yesterday

Yesterday evening at the French Club saw the end of the semi-final round of the Shanghai tennis doubles championship when Sheldon and Pott eliminated McEachran and George, while, H. Toussaint and Capt. Barrett defeated Elmore and Humphreys.

In the game between Sheldon and Pott and McEachran and George the remaining two games of the seven-all set of Monday went to the American representatives, thus the score stood two sets all. The fifth and last set started off with the first two games going to Pott and Sheldon. Strong volleying on the part of McEachran and his partner gave them the next three games making the score stand 3-2 in their favor. The American pair then staged a great finish, Pott driving very well and Sheldon pulling off his smashes to perfection. They won the remaining four games.

Capt. Barrett and H. Toussaint had little difficulty in winning their match, defeating Elmore and Humphreys by 7-5, 7-5 and 6-2. The combination on the part of the winners was excellent.

Tomorrow afternoon at the French Club the final will be played between Capt. Barrett and H. Toussaint and Sheldon and Pott, a game which will certainly be well worth watching.

Racing

The 57th meeting of the International Recreation Club will be held at Kiangwan on Wednesday and Friday, October 8 and 10. Entries close next Tuesday.

The Kiangwan St. Leger and Kiangwan Challenge Cup races will be run on November 29. Entries close at 8 p.m. on October 13.

Band Concert Today

The following program will be played by the Band in the Public Garden today, weather permitting, beginning at 5:30 p.m.

March (Spick and Span ..... Ansell.
Overture—Tancredi ..... Rossini.
Waltz—Les Sirenes ..... Waldteufel.
Selection—Eileen ..... Herbert.
(a) One Step—Liberty Bell..Mohr.
(b) Fox Trot—I'm Hitting the Trail to Normandy..Snyder.
Selection—The Duchess of Dantzic ..... Caryll.

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China Political Notes From Chinese Press

President Hsu Shih-chang has accepted the resignation of Acting Premier Kung Hsin-chan and proposes to appoint General King Yin-pang, the Minister of War, as Acting Premier. The Tuan faction, however, favors no change for the present in order to nominate General Tuan for the post at the first opportunity. The Presidential Mandate as drafted by President Hsu cannot be issued for the present.

A mutiny has broken out among the troops stationed at Tsingyuan, Kwangtung. The cause was the non-payment of their wages for several months. The Tuchun has sent a strong force to quell the outbreak.

The Ministry of Communications has circulated an order to all post offices to allow Germans and Austrians to enjoy full liberty in their correspondence by post.

The Government has telegraphed General Yang Tseng-hsin, Tuchun of Sinkiang to issue a proclamation, warning all Mohammedans in the Northern region against participating in the quarrel between the Russians.

The Cabinet has decided in favor of exempting Chinese tea from export duty for two years; and the Suiwuchu will order all the customs authorities to act accordingly.

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Benevolent Fund Competition

The second competition for the Benevolent Fund Shield was held yesterday morning. The weather conditions were good. C. E. M. Thomson registered another win on the shield with a good score of 71 (69 plus two points allowance) followed by T. Watanabe and K. Tsunoda with 70 and 67 points respectively. Following are the scores and points up to date:—

	1st Comp.	2nd Comp.	Total points
C. E. M. Thomson	10	10	= 20
F. W. Snape	9	2	= 11
K. Tsunoda	2	8	= 10
T. Watanabe	absent	9	= 9
J. Rebsamen	8	absent	= 8
W. Lancaster	7	0	= 7
O. L. Ilbert	absent	7	= 7
R. I. Ito	0	6	= 6
H. W. Lambert	6	absent	= 6
H. Noisshiki	0	5	= 5
H. Tobias	5	absent	= 5
A. C. Davis	absent	4	= 4
W. T. Rose	4	0	= 4
G. V. Jensen	3	0	= 3
A. L. Mottu	0	3	= 3
R. F. Wilner	0	1	= 1
W. E. Sauer	1	absent	= 1

Scores Made In The Second Competition (300 yards)

Class	Name	300 yds.	allowee		Total
"A"	C. E. M. Thomson	69	2	=	71
"C"	T. Watanabe	64	6	=	70
"D"	K. Tsunoda	59	8	=	67
"A1"	O. L. Ilbert	66	0	=	66
"A"	R. I. Ito	64	2	=	66
"C"	H. Noisshiki	60	6	=	66
"A"	A. C. Davis	63	2	=	65
"B"	A. L. Mottu	61	4	=	65
"A1"	F. W. Snape	64	0	=	64
"A"	R. F. Wilner	62	2	=	64

There were 23 entries for this competition (including one post entry) = $24.00 with an additional amount of $2.00 donated by Mr. C. E. M. Thomson making a total of $26.00 which will be given to the King Daughters Society. The first competition held in August realised $40.00 which was donated also to the same Society.

The next competition will be held on Friday morning October 31.

'Hearts Of The World'

One of the biggest events of the season in the world of motion pictures will be the presentation of D. W. Griffith's latest film masterpiece, "Hearts of the World" at the Olympic Theater, commencing on Friday next, 26th inst.

"Hearts of the World" required 18 months in the making and many of the scenes were taken on the actual battlefields of France by Mr. Griffith, with the official aid and assistance of the British and the French governments. Mr. Griffith, however, is anxious to remove any apprehension that "Hearts of the World" is primarily a war picture.

It is, primarily a love story, in which war figures as the grim background. It may be called "the story of a village," and for more than 40 minutes during the exposition of the story, there is not a cannon shot, not a suggestion of war's alarms. There is the pretty romance of two girls each in love with the same man; there is the quiet and peaceful atmosphere of a small French town before the holocaust of the war. Then comes the conflict, with its ensuing effects upon the fortunes of those in the little village. The battle scenes shown are actual battle scenes taken right in the trenches during the death struggles of the French and the Germans; only occasionally has it been found necessary to piece the story of the battles together by means of acted scenes.

Prominent in the cast of "Hearts of the World" are the beautiful Gish sisters, Lillian and Dorothy, Robert Harron, George Fawcett, George Seigman, and other well-known players.

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Mr. William T. Payne, manager for Japan and China of the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services, Ltd., has been decorated with the Third Order of the Sacred Treasure by the Emperor of Japan. The ceremony was performed by Governor Inouye on September 9. Eleven years ago Mr. Payne was decorated with the Fourth Order of the Rising Sun in recognition of services rendered the Japanese Empire.

VICE ADMIRAL DUFF ASSIGNED TO CHINA

London, July 28.—Vice-Admiral Sir A. L. Duff, who recently relinquished his position as a Lord of the Admiralty, has struck his flag in the light cruiser Hawkins, in which it was hoisted on her commissioning at Chatham for service as flagship on the China Station.

He will rehoist it on August 7 in the yacht Alacrity at Devonport on her commissioning for service on that station, to the commander-ship-in-chief of which he has been appointed in succession to Vice-Admiral Sir F. C. T. Tudor, whose flag has been flown ashore. The Alacrity was formerly the Russian yacht Miade.

The Hawkins belongs to a new class of light cruiser, and will be commanded by Captain R. G. H. Henderson, who has been serving at the Admiralty as Naval Assistant to the Assistant Chief of the Staff.

Esthonians Take Stand, Ending Peace Parley

Refuse To Deal With Radicals In Absence Of Other Baltic States

(*Reuter's Service*)

Stockholm, September 21.—The Esthonian Peace delegation has returned to Reval. Negotiations with the Bolsheviats were broken off owing to the Esthonians' demand that negotiations should be carried on simultaneously with the other Baltic states.

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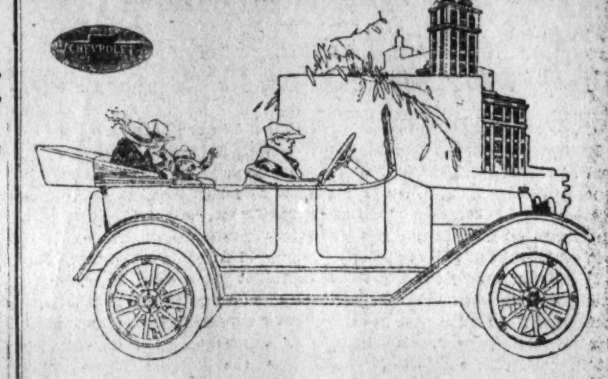

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Peking Lacks Cash To Send Military Attaches Abroad

Government's Efforts To Provide Funds To Send Men To Join Washington And London Legations Fail

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Peking, Sept. 20.—Although the Central Government has long since appointed military attaches to its legations in London and Washington, these officials have thus far been unable, owing to lack of funds, to set out for their posts. Several attempts have been made by the Government to raise the money required for these appointments, but in each case the Ministry of Finance has not been in a position to make the necessary appropriation.

Now, however, the Board of the General Staff has received a cablegram from Lieutenant General Tang in Paris urging strongly that the Government either send military attaches to London, Washington, Paris and Rome without further delay or that Chinese military experts already abroad be appointed to fill the existing vacancies concurrently with their present posts. Hence the General Staff has requested President Hsu to instruct the Ministry of Finance to provide funds for the traveling and other expenses of these military attaches. It is, accordingly, expected that money for this purpose will be forthcoming shortly and that China will have military representation at the great foreign capitals at a time when she feels that she needs them most.

Exactly how the Ministry of Finance is going to provide funds for the military attaches whom the General Staff wishes to send abroad has not, however, been stated; and it is hard to see how, in the existing financial embarrassment of the Government, any funds for what may be termed extraordinary purposes can be raised. Only day before yesterday the Acting Premier said in an interview with the President that over $20,000,000 were required to meet the outstanding administrative and military expenses of the Government before the Autumn Festival and that he did not know how this money could be raised. The revenue from the Customs Surplus, the Salt Surplus and these provincial treasuries that have seen fit to pay up has long since been spent; the Old Consortium has not been in a position to make an advance on the Reorganisation Loan; the New Consortium is not yet formed and has recently had another set-back at the hands of the Japanese; and the local banks are reluctant to advance money to the Government even for short periods and at high rates.

The only present hope for the Government to raise funds for its military attaches and for other more immediately important purposes appears to be in the floating of the Eighth Year Bond issue. But even this financial remedy has all the earmarks of failure unless the Japanese see fit to take up the bonds at a heavy discount. The Chinese in any case, with the exception of those officials who will be obliged to take them in lieu of salary, are showing no interest whatever in buying Eighth Year Bonds.

'Lombardi, Ltd.' Tonight

Tito Lombardi is a fashionable New York dressmaker with little knowledge of business methods and less desire to learn them. He has a smart establishment on a side street directly off Fifth Avenue in the fashionable up-town district of New York. He has an assistant, who will be portrayed by Miss Beatrice Prentice, a forelady, Miss Charlotte Fletcher; a grouchy book-keeper, Albert Farjeon, and a model, Miss Gloria Fonda. Lombardi will be played by Mr. T. Daniel Frawley.

"Lombardi, Limited," is one of New York's greatest successes. It is a comedy in three acts by Frederic and Fanny Hatton, authors of "Upstairs and Down." The piece is replete with comedy situations and is interesting in that is is based on the life of a New York costumer of another nationality.

Gloria Fonda has her first big opportunity in "Lombardi, Limited." She comes to the big city with the usual country-girl ideas, becomes a model and later falls in love with the son of New York's vermecelli king though she believes him to be a chauffeur. The latter part, that of Riccardo Tosello, is in the hands of Homer Barton.

Last night the Frawley Company repeated "Parlor, Bedroom and Bath" to a big house. The piece again pleased and Miss Charlotte Fletcher repeated her success of Monday night. With even more pep and snap in her lines and business than on Mondsy night, she scored heavily.

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HSIUNG HSI-LING ON U.S.-CHINA RELATIONS

Former Premier Displays Sympathetic Understanding Of America's Position

(China Press Correspondence)

Huchow, September 19.—Mr. Hsiung Hsi-ling, Director of Conservancy Work for the Province of Chihli, and at one time holding the office of Premier of China, accompanied by his wife and several friends, paid a brief visit to this city today, travelling by launch from Shanghai. There had been no announcement of Mr. Hsiung's proposed visit, and there were consequently no official demonstrations during his stay in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Hsiung came here to see their niece, who is a student in Virginia School. They were welcomed by the principal of the school, Miss Clara Steger, and were entertained during the afternoon at Ivey Home. There at 4 p.m. an informal reception was held in their honor, after which Mr. Hsiung addressed an audience of about 400 students in the Haitau church, speaking upon the relations between America and China. Although Mr. Hsiung's Mandarin was somewhat difficult for some of his hearers, his speech was thoroughly appreciated by all, and the American community were much gratified to know that a man of Mr. Hsiung distinguished position and antecedents could have such a sympathetic understanding of America and of America's attitude towards other nations. The evening was passed quietly by Mr. Hsiung's party at Ivey Home, after which the guests returned to their launch and left for Soochow.

Mr. Hsiung has had the reputation of being not only an able official, but of being a man of integrity and of real patroitism. All that was seen of him in Huchow would certainly substantiate such a characterisation. He was affable, democratic, interested in everything, and showed none of the traditional snobbishness and arrogance of officialdom. If all China's public officers could be cut from such a pattern, one would not despair of China's future.

Mail From Europe Arrives On Javary

Steamer Also Brought 415 Sacks For American Post Office Yesterday

Perhaps the biggest European mail in many months arrived yesterday on the Javary. British, French and Chinese post offices each got large quantities. The American post office received 415 sacks but the distribution was delayed for two hours at noon when the electric lights gave out.

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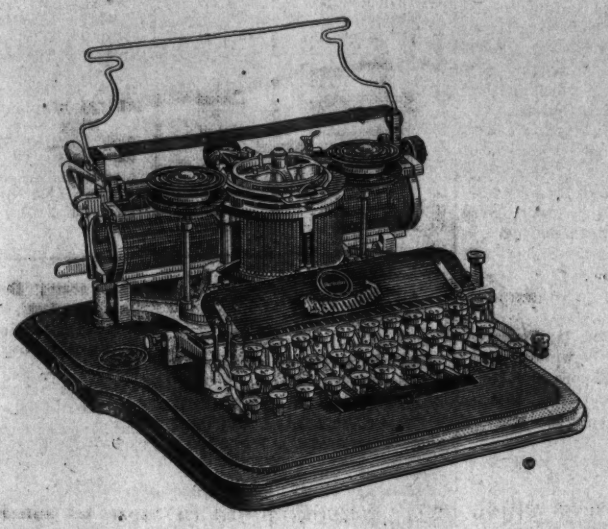

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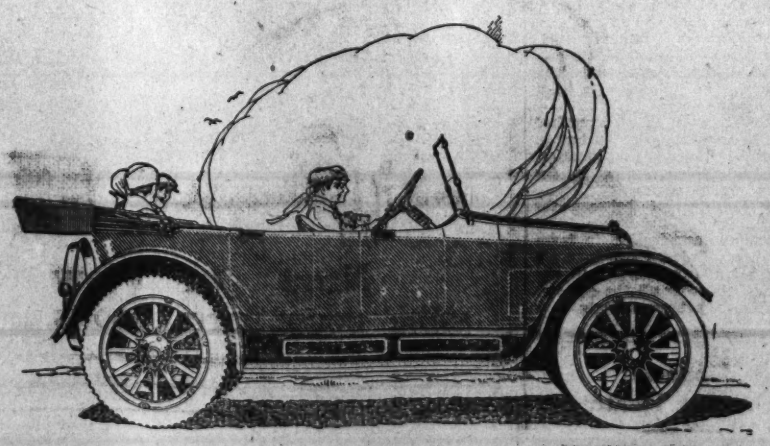

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KAOLIN SUCCESSFUL IN CHOLERA TREATMENT

Shantung Christian University Hospital Expert Reports On Hundred Cases

(*China Press Correspondence*)

Tsinanfu, Shantung, September 19.—Now that there is a sensible decrease in the number of patients seeking entrance to the hospitals in this city, it is felt that a note concerning the cholera work carried on with admirable skill and devotion in the Shantung Christian University hospital may be of interest to many in various parts of China.

An additional important reason for sending this note to THE CHINA PRESS is the remarkable results which have been obtained by the treatment of cholera by the administration of Kaolin (Aluminum Silicate) which has probably not been used before for the treatment of cholera in China. If the results obtained in the Tsinanfu hospital can be repeated all over China in subsequent epidemics, it will in the future largely replace the salt solution treatment which is not without danger and can be administered in a hospital only by competent men.

The number of cases treated during the past month is about 100, all of whom were genuine cholera cases, Dr. S. Braafladt, under whose care these victims of the dread disease have been treated, kindly furnishes the following particulars:

"In about forty percent of the cases we have used the injection intravenously of hypertonic salt solution. All these cases have been such as have come so late that their pulse could no longer be palpitated at the wrist, and so collapsed that there was danger of their dying within a very short time. In still another 40 percent we have used Kaolin by mouth. Many of these also have been in a very serious condition when they entered, but on the whole, they are cases that have come in a little earlier than the ones mentioned above. In about 20 percent we have given one injection of hypertonic salt solution and then given Kaolin.

"We have had 13 deaths out of these 100 cases, but 3 of them died within an hour or two after entering the hospital. No treatment of any sort could save them. Of the cases who have had only Kaolin, but one death has occurred.

"On the whole I believe Kaolin treatment is the best if the patient is not almost dead when he begins the treatment. Those who have had this treatment have been able to leave the hospital in shorter time and have had better recovery than those to whom we have given salt solution.

"I believe this is the first time in China that this treatment of cholera has been used and I do not like to say too much about it, but, if it proves as successful in the hands of others as it has with us, I believe that it will in the future largely replace the salt solution treatment.

"Kaolin is a white powder with very great absorbing power. It is practically insoluble, and therefore not dangerous. It passes out apparently without change."

"One can buy it from first class stores in Shanghai for about 35 cents a pound. We have used over 80 pounds of it. We put one pound and half of Kaolin in one quart of water, and give about three ounces every half hour if the vomiting and purging is severe and less frequently as these diminish. On an average, I suppose each patient has needed about a quart. While taking the Kaolin, the patients have had only water to drink: later, rice water and on the third day or so most of them are able to take, besides this, broth, eggs and rice. The average stay in the hospital for these cases has been four days."

DEMOBILISATION PLAN SUBMITTED IN PEKING

Proposal Is To Retain Sixty Percent Of Northern Forces As Standing Army

(*From Our Own Correspondent*)

Peking, September 18.—With a view to the prompt and efficient disbandment of troops in both the North and the South the Joint War and General Staff Office has been making inquiries of the provincial authorities as to the best means of returning the surplus soldiers to civil life. Most of the provincial reports have now come in, and the Peking military authorities have now worked out a plan for the disbandment of troops largely on the suggestions from the provinces. This plan contains the following provisions:

(1) Sixty percent of the troops now under arms in the provinces under the control of the Northern Government are to remain as part of the nation's standing army, while the balance of forty percent are to be disbanded.

(2) The disbandment is to be divided into five periods of three months each, during which time twenty percent of the army is to return to civil life; and there will be a further period of three months for the disbandment of the remaining twenty percent of the Northern Army that is to leave the colors. Thus the entire forty percent will be disbanded within eighteen months from the time that the plan comes into operation.

(3) There shall be no fresh recruiting, it being the intention of the military authorities to keep the Northern Army at a peace strength of just sixty percent of its present numbers.

(4) The question of disbanding the surplus troops in the South is to be settled at the Shanghai Peace Conference and it is expected that the Southern forces will not exceed the strength provided for in the budget of the Fifth Year of the Republic.

While these arrangements for the disbandment of the Northern Army have been worked out, General Hsu Shu-cheng, High Defense Commissioner for the Northwestern Frontiers, has been active in developing plans for the strengthening of his army in Inner and Outer Mongolia and has now submitted to the Government four measures calculated to give him a powerful military force and a free hand in those territories. It is believed that the Government will accept these proposals of Little Hsu, which are as follows:

(1) Those military officers who enter Inner and Outer Mongolia under orders from the High Commissioner are to be invested with special powers.

(2) The Board of Mongolian and Tibetan Affairs is to take steps to remove all misunderstandings that now exist between the Chinese on the one hand and the Mongolian dukes and bannermen on the other.

(3) The Chinese frontier authorities are to remove all obstacles in the way of carrying out the systematic defense of the frontiers.

(4) The Northwestern Frontier Defense Force shall consist of two divisions (40,000 men), the 4th and the 5th, which are to be completely equipped and organised for the work of defending the frontiers as soon as funds are available for this purpose.

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Loans on Collateral	200,000.00
Accumulated Interest and Rents	131,575.59
Reinsurance due on Paid Losses	91,466.42
TOTAL CASH ASSETS	G.$19,706,197.85

LIABILITIES.

Cash Capital	G.$ 3,000,000.00
Reserve for Outstanding Losses	1,083,744.99
Reserve for Reinsurance	7,601,014.04
Reserve for all other Claims and Liabilities	515,026.50
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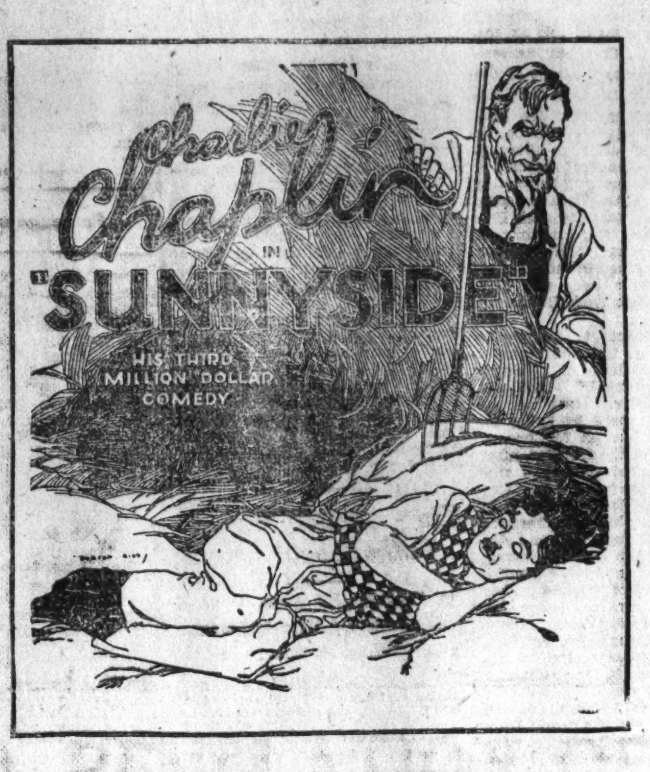

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BOLSHEVISTS INVADING TURKESTAN, PEKING TOLD

Tuchun Reports Mohammedans Have Assembled Forces To Resist Radicals

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Peking, September 19.—The Tuchun of Chinese Turkestan has sent an urgent message to Peking stating that armed bands of Bolshevists have been invading Ili and that the Mohammedans in his province have assembled their forces and are preparing to offer forcible resistance to further incursions of this nature. The Tuchun says that, fearing serious disturbances as a result of the immiaent conflict between the Chinese Mohammedans and the Red Guards, he has requested the Caliph of the Mohammedans to disperse his men and endeavor to keep the peace of the province. The regular Chinese troops, the Tuchun says, are sufficient to attend to such Bolshevists as enter the territory of Chinese Turkestan; and he has therefore guaranteed to the Mohammedans that their lives and property shall be safe from Bolshevist raids.

From all reports that come to Peking it appears that the troubles along the frontiers of Chinese Turkestan are not of a national political character. Most of the difficulties are caused by fights between the two Russian factions on their own side of the frontier, after which the defeated side as a rule seeks safety in the neutral territory of China. As neither of the Russian factions in this neighborhood possesses a well organised and disciplined army, the defeated stragglers that cross the Chinese frontier are in the nature of bandits. They live off the country, requisition supplies from the unarmed natives without paying for them and are, in general, a menace to the welfare of the Chinese in this district. Hence it is felt that only the strict vigilance of a well equipped and adequately strong Chinese force stationed along the frontier can improve the existing state of affairs.

Viscount Grey Sails From England For U.S.

(Reuter's Service)

London, September 20.—Viscount Grey left Southampton for America on the s.s. Mauretania today. Lord Bryce, Lord Curzon, Mr. Winston Churchill and Lord Reading were among those who saw him off.

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Many of the Shipping Board steamers previously assigned to the Barber Line traveled from New York to Far Eastern ports and thence to Europe from either Manila or Hongkong.

The local offices of the Admiral Line announce that the City of Spokane will load here for Seattle on October 5.

King Of Belgians Talks About League

Its Success, He Says, Depends On State Of Mind In Which Nations Adhere To It

(French Wireless To Reuter)

London, September 22.—The Daily Express' publishes a long interview with the King of the Belgians who is leaving for America tomorrow. Asked to give his opinion on the League of Nations, King Albert declared that eminent statesmen had faith in that institution but that he thought with Mr. Lloyd George that its success would depend on the state of mind in which the nations adhered to it. "In case of failure and if a new war again threatened Europe would your people obey as in 1914"? His Majesty was asked, to which the King replied: "There is no doubt, absolutely no doubt, that they would."

Two Chinese Generals Rebelling, Reported

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Sept. 20.—It is rumored this morning that Generals Wu Pei-fu and Yeng Yu-hsiang have declared their independence. So far the report has not been confirmed.

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Per C.N. s.s. Ngankin for Kiukiang: Mr. and Master McLean; for Hankow: Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Branch and 2 infants, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Crab and 3 children, Mrs. W. E. Kirby, Misses Hill, Armour, Jacob, Hoy, Hedd and Berthe, Messrs. W. B. Marshall, Offor and Knudsen.

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fall, at springs 8 1/4 h; at neaps, 7 1/2 h.

A.M. Time	A.M. Range	P.M. Time	P.M. Range
H M	Ft. In.	H M	Ft. In.
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High Water at Tungsha Lightship

(The evening tides are higher than the morning tides).
Approximate rise, 5 1/2 h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M.	P.M.
H M	H M
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Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
H M	H M	H M	H M	H M	H M
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SUBSCRIPTION GRIFFINS:—Intending subscribers are requested to send their names to the undersigned not later than 8 p.m. on Sunday, 12th October, 1919.

By order,
Y. S. DAY,
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Shanghai, 23rd September, 1919.

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Shanghai, 23rd September, 1919.

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LOST

An Order, No. 36, for $500, issued by the Dong Chen Clothing Shop (同興衣莊), payable at the Tun Yu Bank (敦餘錢), due on 13th day of 8th moon, has been lost on the way. This Order has been nullified and payment stopped at the Bank concerned, and the public are hereby cautioned against negotiating the same.

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Customs Notification

No. 925.

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With reference to Customs Notification No. 911, notice is hereby given that the Customs clock will be put back one hour at midnight on Tuesday, 30th September.

L. A. LYALL,
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CUSTOM HOUSE,
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THE COMMITTEE.

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NOTICE

Owing to the difficulty of the times and the high cost of living, we, the Cantonese Carpenters, have passed a resolution for an increase of our day-work wages from eighty-five cents to one dollar per day. The new rate will come into effect on and after September 29, 1919, and the public are hereby requested to take note of same.

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Shanghai, September 22, 1919.

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Notice is hereby given that Mr. F. J. Motherhead is no longer connected with this firm. We can assume no responsibility for any debts which he may incur, or any statements he may make.

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The Tientsin-Pukow Railway Administration

Notification No. 289 (064/6).

The public is hereby informed that as the cholera epidemic which prevailed some time ago at places through which this line traverses has now subsided, the regulations adopted on this line for the prevention of the epidemic will be withdrawn from 20th September, 1919.

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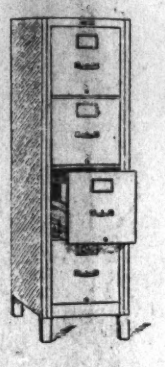

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25482 S.25

APARTMENTS WANTED

RUSSIAN lady wants a small room without board, Western district; also French lessons required. Apply 65 Route Vallon, I.Z.

25493

SMALL ROOM wanted from October first, central district. Apply to Box 496, THE CHINA PRESS.

25490 S.26

WANTED, two or more furnished rooms, with board, on or before October 20th, by young American couple, no children. Must be in quiet place of good surroundings in Western district or the French settlement. Apply to Box 494, THE CHINA PRESS.

25483 S.24

EDUCATIONAL

A GOOD opportunity for a college graduate to increase his income by teaching four nights a week. Must be energetic and faithful, and must have some practical experience in office work. Address or call at Yangtszepoo Social Center, 84 Yangtszepoo Road.

25484 S.25

LESSONS in English and piano given by experienced lady teacher. Terms moderate. Please apply to Box 463, THE CHINA PRESS.

25407 S.24

OFFICES, ETC., TO LET

TO BE LET, the ground floor of The Masonic Hall, No. 30 The Bund, containing many and various sized offices, also two strong rooms (fire and burglar proof) with grilles, admirably adapted for a bank or other company or corporation requiring central and spacious offices. For full particulars and permission to view, apply to C. Matthews, Masonic Hall.

25187

OFFICES to let, four very large rooms, 6 Foochow Road, second floor. Apply to J. T. Hammond, 51 Szechuen Road.

25380

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APARTMENTS

Connaught House

8 Quinsan Gardens.
Board—Residence.
Apply Mrs. G. Pollock.

TO LET

From September 5th, one large bedroom. Apply to Mrs. Weinstock, 15 Quinsan Gardens, Tel North 482.

TO LET with board, a large comfortable flat, comprising two large rooms, roomy hall, and private bathroom, suitable for both summer and winter. All modern comforts, telephone, garage, stabling and tennis. Apply to Box 411, THE CHINA PRESS.

A COMFORTABLE suite of two rooms, bath and verandah, to be let with board. Southern exposure and pleasant outlook. Conveniently located on Bubbling Well Road. Apply to Box 493, THE CHINA PRESS.

25499

TO LET, central location (quiet), airy and well-furnished, large double room (bathroom attached). Room has fine view, and is suitable for couple or two bachelors. Apply to Box 478, THE CHINA PRESS.

25440 S.25

SINGLE and double rooms to let, with board, 49 Bubbling Well Road.

25288 S.25

HOUSES TO LET

NINE-roomed, well-furnished house in Hongkew district. A.I. furniture and fittings must be taken over; will sell at a sacrifice. Apply to Box 485, THE CHINA PRESS.

25454 S. 24

TO LET, No. 14 Tifeng Lane, Jessfield Road, Seven-roomed Residence, garage, stabling and tennis. Apply J. T. Hammond, No. 51 Szechuen Road.

25176

TO LET, No. 491 Avenue Joffre. Excellent eight-roomed Residence. Tennis, garage. For permission to inspect apply J. T. Hammond, No. 51 Szechuen Road.

25177

GODOWNS WANTED

GODOWN WANTED: At once by large American firm, good sized godown, in central or Broadway district. Apply to Box 468, THE CHINA PRESS.

25418

SITUATION VACANT

WANTED, an experienced man capable of taking charge of Import Department. State previous experience and give reference. Apply to Box 500, THE CHINA PRESS.

S.30

CHINESE export assistant wanted. Reliable man with good experience in export administration: knowledge of Chinese produce necessary. Apply to Box 497, THE CHINA PRESS.

25494 S.25

AMERICAN company wants expert accountant, familiar with American accounting methods, one who can systematise office and do constructive work. In answering, write the best letter of which you are capable giving age, previous experience, and any data bearing on your qualifications. Apply to Box 499, THE CHINA PRESS.

25503 S.26

EMPLOYMENT Bureau for Stenographers, Typists, and Book-keepers (foreigners only). If you are looking for a position, or a better position, send us your name and address. No charges in connection. If you want practice we have fitted up an office with machines for you to practice on at a small monthly charge, The Office Appliance Co., 22 Nanking Road.

25274

AMERICAN firm requires American, familiar with imports and exports, to act as manager in Shanghai. Good proposition to right man. Apply to Box 484, THE CHINA PRESS.

25453 S. 24

SITUATION WANTED

ENGINEER: High-grade and thoroughly experienced civil and mechanical engineer, at present employed, soon open for long or short engagement. High-class references given and required. Apply to Box 493, THE CHINA PRESS.

25481 S.25

EXPERIENCED bookkeeper, with sound knowledge of shipping, insurance, import and export, seeks position. A. 1. references. Apply to Box 482, THE CHINA PRESS.

25451 S. 27

SCANDINAVIAN, 13 years' business experience in China, speaking Northern Chinese, well acquainted with import and export business, seeks position in Shanghai or outport. Apply to Box 476, THE CHINA PRESS.

25435 S.26

EMPLOYMENT Bureau for Stenographers, Typists, and Book-keepers. We assist firms in filling vacancies for such positions. No charges in connection. Send particulars to The Office Appliance Co., 22 Nanking Road.

25274

EXTRA work as translator, secretary, accountant, compradore or general office assistant wanted after bank hours by a capable Chinese, who is willing to provide $20,000 securities. Apply to Box 470, THE CHINA PRESS.

25421 O.12

MATRIMONY

YOUNG lady desires to meet clean American gentleman, about twenty-five, height about five feet seven. View matrimony. Replies confidential, to Box 483, THE CHINA PRESS.

25452 S. 24

Exchange and Mart

FOR SALE, cheap, 1½ mow land on Ward Road. N.C. Lot No. 8. Apply to No. 10 Haskell Road.

25492 S.30

FOR SALE, No. 473 Avenue Joffre, situate on F. C. Lot No. 596. Detached six-roomed residence, with offices, stables, outhouse, garden, etc. Total area 1.453 mow. For further particulars, apply to Seth, Mancell & Co., 38 Kiangse Road.

25489

PURE MILK for sale, $1 for six large bottles, combining quality and quantity, from a sanitary, licensed private dairy. Apply to Box 491, THE CHINA PRESS.

25471 S.28

INDIAN, light-twin motor-cycle for sale. New 1919 model, fully equipped and in splendid running order. Quick sale. Best offer entertained. Owner leaving Shanghai. American Post Office Box 688.

25455 S. 24

FOR SALE, Kuling bungalow: large living room and verandah, four bedrooms, two bathrooms, large furnished attic and basement. For photographs and particulars, inquire 138 Dixwell Road.

25461 S. 24

WANTED, to buy carrying typewriter, Corona or other make. State price and condition to Box 489, THE CHINA PRESS.

25469 S.24

FOR SALE, the new comfortable houseboat Piave. Ideal boat for hunting party, four bunks. Also one Browning automatic sporting gun, 12-bore. Please apply to Box 480, THE CHINA PRESS.

25446 S.26

FOR SALE, Packard 12-cylinder, 5-seater touring car, recently painted and overhauled. Also, one 8-cylinder Cadillac 5-seater touring car. Both in perfect condition. Apply to Box 469, THE CHINA PRESS.

25420 S.25

FOR SALE, Roamer, 6 cylinder, 4 seater, in perfect condition. Also, victoria recently done up, with horse, harness and etc. Apply A. I. D. Stewart, 3 Route Ghisi, Tel. No. 776 West.

25335 S. 25

Chinese and Foreign Banking Announcements

Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China

Incorporated by Royal Charter 1853.

Capital £2,000,000
Reserve Fund 2,000,000
Reserve Liability of Shareholders £2,100,000

Head Office:
38 BISHOPSGATE, LONDON, E. C.

Court of Directors:
Sir Montagu Cornish Turner, Chairman.
Sir Duncan Carmichael.
T. Cuthbertson, Esq.
Sir Alfred Dent, K.C.M.G.
W. H. Neville Goschen, Esq.
The Rt. Hon. Lord George Hamilton, G.C.S.I.
W. Foot Mitchell, Esq.
James Maxwell Grant Prophit, Esq.
Lewis Alexander Wallace, Esq.

Bankers:
The Bank of England.
The London Joint City & Midland Bank Limited.
The London County and Westminster and Parrs Bank, Limited.
The National Provincial Bank of England, Limited.
The National Bank of Scotland, Limited.

Agencies and Branches:

Amritsar	Iloilo	Puket
Bangkok	Ipoh	Rangoon
Batavia	Karachi	Saigon
Bombay	Klang	Seremban
Calcutta	Kobe	Singapore
Canton	Kuala-Lumpur	Shanghai
Cebu	Madras	Sourabaya
Colombo	Manila	Taiping
Delhi	Medan	(F. M. S.
Haiphong	New York	Tavoy (Lower
Hankow	Peking	Burma)
Hongkong	Penang	Tientsin
	Yokohama	

Shanghai Branch 18 The Bund.

Drafts granted on the above Agencies and Branches and also on the principal Commercial Cities throughout the world. Bills of Exchange bought, Travelling Letters of Credit issued and every description of Banking and Exchange business undertaken.

Interest allowed on Current Deposit Accounts, according to arrangement.

Fixed Deposits are received for twelve months and shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.

C. J. SCOTT.
Manager.

BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE

Capital ..... Frs. 48,000,000.00
Reserve ..... Frs. 50,000,000.00

Succursales et Agences:

Bankok	Hanoi	Saigon
Battambang	Hongkong	Shanghai
Canton	Mengtze	Singapore
Djibouti	Noumea	Tientsin
Doudchery	Peking	Tourane
Haiphong	Papoete	
Hankoou	Pnom-Penh	

Bankers:
In France: Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris; Credit Lyonnais; Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas; Credit Industriel et commercial; Societe Generalle.
In London: The Union of London and Smith's Bank, Ltd.; Comptoir National d'Escompte des Paris; Credit Lyonnais.

This Shanghai Agency undertakes all banking operations and exchange business, grants credits on goods and approved securities and receives deposits on current and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN.
Manager.

The Exchange Bank of China

SHANGHAI BRANCH
41 Kiangse Road.

Telephone C. 1941.
Telegraphic Address "Knabex."

Capital .....Yen 10,000,000

Head Office ..... Peking.
Registered in the Ministry of Finance.

General Banking Business of Every Description transacted.

Foreign and Domestic Exchange Business a specialty. We issue Demand Drafts, T/T, Letters of Credit, Buying and Selling Specie, etc., etc.

Foreign and Domestic Commercial Papers and Bills discounted.

Loans and Advances made on approved Securities.

Interest allowed on current accounts and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

Foreign Agencies at Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, Nagasaki, Moji, Singapore, Bombay, London, New York.

Domestic Agencies at Tientsin, Hankow, Kiukiang, Tsingtao, Dairen, Changchun, Mukden, Foochow, Amoy, Swatow, Hongkong, Canton.

H. C. KONG,
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Paid-up Capital $15,000,000

Reserve Funds:—
Sterling £1,500,000 @ 2/- $15,000,000
Silver 21,000,000
$36,000,000

Reserve liability of Proprietors $15,000,000

Head Office: HONGKONG

Court of Directors:
J. A. Plummer, Esq., Chairman.
Hon. Mr. E. V. D. Parr, Deputy Chairman.
A. H. Compton, Esq.
Hon. Mr. S. H. Dodwell.
C. S. Gubbay, Esq.
P. H. Holyoak, Esq.
Hon. Mr. J. Johnstone.
W. L. Pattenden, Esq.

Chief Manager.
Hongkong—N. J. STABB.

Branches and Agencies:

Amoy	Ipoh	Penang
Bangkok	Johore	Rangoon
Batavia	Kobe	Saigon
Bombay	Kuala-Lumpur	S. Francisco
Calcutta	London	Shanghai
Canton	Lyons	Singapore
Colombo	Malacca	Sourabaya
Foochow	Manila	Tientsin
Hankow	Nagasaki	Tsingtao
Harbin	New York	Vladivostock
Iloilo	Peking	Yokohama

London Bankers:
London County Westminster and Parr's Bank, Ltd.

Shanghai Branch: 12, The Bund.
Sub-Agency: 9 Broadway.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Local Bills Discounted.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Africa, China, Japan and America.

A. G. STEPHEN,
Manager.

Russo-Asiatic Bank

	Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid)	55,000,000
Reserve Fund	25,960,000
	Kuping Tls.
Capital Contributed by Chinese Government ..	2,500,000
Reserve Fund	1,750,000

Head office: PETROGRAD.
Paris office: 9 Rue Boudreau.
London office: 64 Old Broad Street, E.C. 2.

Bankers:
London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co.
Paris: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Developpement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France. Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
Milan: Credito Italiano.

FAR EASTERN BRANCHES:

Bombay	Hankow	Nicolayewsk
Chanchun	Harbin	O/Amur
(Kwan-chendze)	Harbin	Peking
	Pristan	Yokohama
Chefoo	Hongkong	Tientsin
Dairen	Manchouli	Shanghai
Hailar	Newchwang	Vladivostock

Branches and Agencies in Russia, Siberia and Mongolia.

SHANGHAI BRANCH

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, and Dollars. Terms on application.

Local Bills discounted. Special facilities for Russian Exchange.

Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.

Safe Deposit Boxes.

L. JEZIERSKI,
Manager for Asia.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Paid-Up Capital $1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund 391,247.41

Head Office: Shanghai
Peking and Kiangse Roads.
Tels: Managers' Office: Central 2650
General Office: Central 2613 & 2614

Branches:
Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden and Harbin.

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS
London, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe and Osaka.

Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, Sterling and Y according to arrangement.

Interest allowed on Deposits at Call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.

Credit grant on approved securities.

Savings Accounts—4% per annum.

Every description of banking business transacted.

Modern Safe Deposit Boxes For Rent.

SHEN CHU HSU, Manager.
SHU CHIN MIN, Sub-Manager.
C. C. YANG, Sub-Manager.

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Societe Anonyme
Filiale de la Societe Generale de Belgique
(THE BELGIAN BANK)

Paid-Up Capital £2,000,000
Reserves £431,890

Head office: BRUSSELS
London: 2 Bishopsgate, E.C.2
Branches: Alexandria, Tantah, Cairo, Peking, Tientsin,
Agents:
New York: 31 Pine Street
Manchester: 31 Mosley Street

President:
JEAN JADOT
Gouverneur de la Societe Generale de Belgique

Bankers:
London: Martin's Bank, Ltd.
Brussels: Societe Generale de Belgique.
Antwerp: Banque d'Anvers.
Paris: Banque Nationale de Credit.
Lyons: Banque Nationale de Credit.
Marseilles: Banque Nationale de Credit.
New York: Guaranty Trust Co. of New York.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts in gold or local currency and fixed deposits according to arrangements.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

M. DEMETS.
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund, and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1, or over $100, will be received at one time.

Not more than $1,200 will be received in one year from any single not at any time exceed the sum of $5,000.

Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent per annum will be allowed on the monthly minimum balance. Deposits may be withdrawn on demand. Accounts will be kept either in Mexican Dollars or Taels, at the option of the depositor.

Depositors will be presented with Pass Books in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.

Office Hours—10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI

Subscribed Capital Sh. Tls. 5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital Sh. Tls. 2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:

For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4 % per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. G. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

行銀孚中 Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1917.)
Statutes approved by the Government in 1916.

Head Office: Tientsin

Subscribed Capital $2,000,000
Paid-Up Capital $1,020,000
Reserve Fund .....$ 20,000

Managing Director:
T. CLARENCE SUN
Deputy Managing Director:
NIEH CHI-WEI

Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries:

Tientsin	Chinkiang	Ichang
Shanghai	Soochow	Changsha
Peking	Wusieh	Shasi
Hankow	Hangchow	Wuhu
Nanking	Ningpo	London
Yangchow	Shaoshing	New York
Hsuchow	Canton	San Francisco
Pengpu	Hongkong	Boston
Changchun	Changteh	Tokio
Antung	Chengchow	Kobe
Kiukiang	TsinkiangpuOsaka	
	Yokohama	

And also other principal cities in foreign countries.

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
S. 441 Ningpo Road.
Tel. Central 1929 Managers' Office.
Tel. Central 2618 General Office.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. R. SUN, Manager.
W. D. ZAU, Sub-Manager.

International Banking Corporation

Head Office:
National City Bank Building
55 Wall Street, New York.

Capital and Surplus ...U.S. $6,500,000
Undivided Profits .U.S. $2,563,060.00

H. T. S. Green,
President & General Manager.
London Office:
86 Bishopsgate, E. C.
San Francisco Office:
232 Montgomery Street.

Far Eastern Branches
China: Shanghai, Peking Tientsin, Hankow, Hongkong, Canton.
Japan: Yokohama, Kobe.
Philippines: Manila, Cebu.
India: Rangoon Bombay, Calcutta.
Straits Settlements: Singapore.
Dutch East Indies: Batavia, Soerabaya.

West Indian and Central American Branches:
Republic of Panama: Panama, Colon
Republic of Colombia: Medellin.
Dominican Republic: Santo Domingo, San Pedro de Macoris, Santiago, Puerto Plata.

In addition to our own Branches, by reason of our close affiliation with *The National City Bank of New York* we are able to offer the facilities of its branches at Bahai, Buenos Aires, Caracas, Genoa, Havana, Montevideo, Moscow, Petrograd, Rio de Janeiro, San Juan, P. R., Santiago de Cuba, Santos, Sao Paulo Valparaiso, Vladivostock.

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts opened and Fixed Deposits taken on rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

H. C. GULLAND, Manager.
1a, Kiukiang Road.

THE BANK OF CANTON, LIMITED.

Incorporated 1912.

Capital (fully paid) H.$2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund ..... H.$ 400,000.00
Investment reserve fund ..... H.$ 40,000.00

Head Office
No. 6 Des Voeux Road, Hongkong.

Shanghai Office
No. 2 Ningpo Road

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES

Canton	Bangkok	San Francisco
Batavia	Bombay	Colombo
New York	Manila	Samarang
London	Singapore	Calcutta
Honolulu	Rangoon	Yokohama
Sourabaya	Canada, &c.	

Interest allowed on Current Accouhts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

C. C. WONG,
Act. Manager.

BANK OF COMMUNICATIONS

Specially authorised by Presidental Mandates of April 7th, 1914, and October 31st, 1915.

Capital: Kuping Taels 10,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING

Over 60 Branches and Agencies at principal cities and commercial centers in China.

Agencies abroad: Singapore, Hongkong, Tokyo (Japan).

SHANGHAI BRANCH
35 Szechuen Road.

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts; Credit granted to approved securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

H. TAO, Manager,
Y. M. CHIEN, Sub-Manager.

Yokohama Specie Bank, Limited

(Established 1880.)

Head Office: YOKOHAMA JAPAN.

	Yen
Capital Fully paid-up, .	48,000,000
Reserve Fund	28,000,000

London Bankers:
The London County and Westminster and Parr's Bank, Ltd.
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.
The London Joint Stock Bank, Ltd.

Branches and Agencies

Batavia	Los Angeles	S. Francisco
Bombay	London	Seattle
Buenos Ayres	Lyons	Shanghai
Calcutta	Manila	Shimonoseki
Changchun	Mukden	Singapore
Dalny	Nagasaki	Sourabaya
Hankow	Newchwang	Sydney
Harbin	New York	Tientsin
Hongkong	Osaka	Tokio
Honolulu	Peking	Tsinanfu
Kaiyuen	Rangoon	Tsingtau
Kobe	Rio de Janeiro	Vladivostock

SHANGHAI BRANCH
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels and Dollars, according to arrangement.

Drafts granted on principal places in Japan, Korea, Formosa, China and the chief commercial places in Europe, India and America.

Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.

K. KODAMA, Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappij

(NETHERLANDS TRADING SOCIETY.)

Established 1824.

Paid-up-Capital—
Guilders 70,000,000 (about £5,833,333)
Reserve Fund—
Guilders 12,760,286 (about £1,063,357)
Head [redacted]

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issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.

SHANGHAI INTEREST ALLOWED on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

B. G. J. WYNBERG.

The Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1908.

Capital $1,000,000
Reserve Fund $50,000

Head Office, Branches and Agencies. Hangchow, Shanghai, Haimon, Lanchi.

Agencies at the principal Cities throughout China.

Foreign Agencies:—London, New York, Tokio, Yokohama, Osaka, Kobe, Hakodata, Seoul and Fusan.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
U 39 Peking Road.
Tel. No. C. 3145, Manager's Office.
Tel. No. C. 2147, General Office.

Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.

Interest allowed on Current and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Sterlings, Gold Dollars and Yen according to arrangements.

Credits granted on approved securities.

Safe Deposit Boxes for rent on application.

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT
4% Compound Interest allowed on Savings Current Deposits.
Interest allowed on Savings Fixed Deposits according to arrangements.
Cheque-books or Savings Pass-books at Depositor's disposal.

LI MING, *Manager.*
CHEN SIN TSENG, *Sub-manager.*
ZAI MOH ZUNG, *Sub-manager.*

The Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.

Subscribed Capital £1,500,000
Paid up Capital 750,000
Reserve Fund 700,000

HEAD OFFICE, 15 Gracechurch Street, LONDON, E. C.

London Bankers:
London Joint City and Midland Bank, Ltd.

Branches & Agencies.

Bombay	Howrah	Madras
Calcutta	Handy	Penang
Colombo	Karachi	Port Louis
Delhi	Kota Bahru	(Mauritius)
Galle	(Kelantan)	Rangoon
Hongkong	Kuala Lumpur	Shanghai
	Singapore	

Shanghai Branch.
EVERY description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Tael Current Accounts at 2 % per annum and an Fixed Deposits at rates which may be ascertained on application.

C. T. BEATH Manager
26 The Bund.

Resources: Pesos 248,000,000

Philippine National Bank

No. 1 The Bund, Shanghai

Telephone: Central 2741

Head Office: MANILA

BRANCHES:
37 Broadway, New York, and throughout the Philippines.

Correspondents at principal cities in the Orient, United States and Europe.

CHECKING AND SAVING ACCOUNTS: FIXED DEPOSIT

Exchange Bought and Sold
Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit
Travellers' Checks

Banque Industrielle de Chine

Capital ..... Francs 75,000,000
one-third of the Capital, i. e., Frs. 25,000,000, subscribed by THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC
Statutes approved by the Government of the Chinese Republic on January 11, 1913.

[illegible]esident, Andre Berthellot.
[illegible]neral Manager, A. J. Pernotte.

HEAD OFFICE
74, RUE ST. LAZARE, PARIS.
[illegible]nches in Peking, Tientsin, Shanghai, Hongkong, Saigon, Haiphong and Yunanfou

BANKERS:
France: Societe Generalle pour Favoriser le Development du Commerce & de l'Industrie en France.
London: London County and Westminster and Parr's Bank Ltd.
London City & Midland Bank Ltd
New-York: Redmond & Co.
Italy: Banca Commerciale Italiana
Credito Italiano

Taels, Dollars, Gold Accounts
Interest allowed on Current Accounts in Gold or Local Currency and fixed deposits on application.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Savings accounts in Gold and Local Currency.

G. LION, Manager

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital .. $60,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital $12,279,800.00
Reserve Fund $1,298,552.60
Special Reserve Fund $1,898,923.68

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifong	Hankow
Changchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	[illegible]ngkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtau	Yangchow	[illegible]hungking

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
3 HANKOW ROAD.

Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.

Shanghai, 15th February, 1919.

ASIA BANKING CORPORATION

An American Bank

Head Office—New York City
Head Office for the Far East, Shanghai
Corner Kiukiang and Kiangse Roads.

OTHER BRANCH OFFICES
Canton-Changsha-Hankow-Hongkong
Manila-Peking-Tientsin

The Asia Banking Corporation offers an American Banking Service and respectfully solicits your patronage. It is organised especially for the purpose of fostering and developing trade between the Orient and the United States. The entire service, information and TIME of our bank, its staff and correspondents are at the disposal of our clients and their friends.

Interest allowed on current, fixed and saving accounts carried in Taels, Mexican Dollars, U.S. Gold, Sterling and Francs.

Foreign or local drafts purchased at best rates, or entered for collection.

Imports and exports financed.

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Financial And Commercial News

Exchange and Bullion

Shanghai, September 23, 1919.

Money And Bullion

Sovereigns: buying rate, @ 6/2=Tls. 3.2432
@ exch. 74=Mex. $4.3827
Gold Dollars: Bank buying rate, @ 128¼=Tls. 77.97
@ exch. 74=Mex. $105.36
Mex. Dollars: Market Rate: 73.8875
S'hai Gold Bars: 978 touch Tls. 190
Copper Cash .... per tael 184.300
Native Interest ..... Tls. 19

Latest London Quotations

Bar Silver ..... 62⅛d.
Bank Rate of Discount 5%
Ex., Paris on London ...Fr. 36.61
Ex., New York on London T.T. G. $4.16¼

Exchange Closing Quotations

London ..... T.T. 6/2
London ..... Demand 6/2⅛
India ..... T.T. 308
Paris ..... T.T. 1110
Paris ..... Demand 1113
New York ..... T.T. 128
New York ..... Demand 128¼
Hongkong ..... T.T. 65
Japan ..... T.T. 39⅛
Batavia ..... T.T. 332
Singapore ..... T.T. 38¼

Banks Buying Rates

London ..... Demand 6/3
London Nom. 4 m/s. Cdts. 6/5
London Nom. 4 m/s. Docy. 6/5⅛
London Nom. 6 m/s. Cdts. 6/5¾
London Nom. 6 m/s. Docy. 6/6
Paris ..... Nom. 4 m/s. 1220
New York .... o/d. Docy. 129½
New York ..... 4 m/s. 137¼

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Today's Bank Buying Rate For Roubles

Roubles 6,550 ..... =Tls. 100
Roubles 100 ..... =Mex. $2.00

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR SEPTEMBER

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" 1 @ 936 Francs 10.43
" 0.73 @ 123¼ Gold $1
" 1 @ 40¾ Yen 2.73
" 1 @ 15 Rupees 4.89
" 1 @ 1.50 Mex. $1.50
" 1 @ — Roubles —

Shanghai Produce & Stock Exchange Transactions

Shanghai, September 23, 1919.

Japanese Bond: 5%
Tls. 34.60 September
Shanghai P. & S. Exchange
Tls. 26.60 September
Tls. 27.30 October
Tls. 27.70 November
Japan-China S. & W. Co.
Tls. 33.70 October
Tls. 34.80 November
Local Yarn:
Water Moon" 16's
Tls. 230.00 November
Water Moon 16-20's
Tls. 233.50 October
Tls. 237.00 November
Tls. 237.20 December
Tls. 239.00 January
Tls. 238.90 February
Phoenix & Wedding
Tls. 213.50 September
Tls. 218.80 October
Tls. 220.00 November
Local Yarn for Standard
Tls. 222.20 November

Stock Exchange Transactions

Shanghai, September 23, 1919.

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS

Official

Anglo Javas Tls. 10.50 December
Tls. 9.50 Cash
Ewo Cotton (Ord.) Tls. 397.50
Tls. 400.00 December
Shanghai Cotton Tls. 260.00 Dec.
Shanghai Docks Tls. 131.00 Dec.
New Engineering Tls. 32.50 Dec.
Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf
Tls. 112.00
Yangtszepoo Cotton Tls. 17.50
Hall & Holtz $12.50

Unofficial

Kowloon Wharf Hk. $110.00
Hongkong & Shanghai Banks
$580.00
New Engineer Tls. 31.00 Sept.
Chinese Engineering & Mining
"B" Tls. 12.50
Shanghai Cotton Tls. 255.00
Tls. 257.50
Tls. 260.00 December
Yangtszepoo Cotton (Ord.)
Tls. 19.00
Tls. 18.85 December
Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf
Tls. 120.00 December
Tls. 111.00 Cash
Ewo Cotton (Ord.) Tls. 395.00
Tls. 400.00 December
Shanghai Docks Tls. 124.00 Sept.
Kungyik Cotton Tls. 33.00 Sept.
Langkats Tls. 21.75 C.N.I.

Singapore Rubber Auction

Singapore, September 11 and 12.—Following were the prices realised at our auction this week:

	Singapore per lb. @ Cts.
Sheet:	
S'pore Standard Ribbed.	114/92
Off Quality Ribbed.....	105½/86
Smoked Fine Plain.....	Nil
Smoked Good Plain.....	85
Unsmoked Fine Ribbed..	Nil
Unsmoked Good Ribbed..	Nil
Unsmoked Fine Plain...	Nil
Unsmoked Good Plain...	Nil
Crepe:	
S'pore St'dard 1st Latex	112/94
Off Color Latex	106/86½
Good Pale Blanket.....	Nil
Good Brown Blanket....	Nil
Fine Brown	92/70
Good Brown	82/66½
Good Dark 72½/60½	
Barky	66/57
Scrap:	
Virgin and Pressed.....	48/60
Loose	53/59
Sheet: Cupwashing	Nil

Catalogued for Sale, 2,345,516 lbs. (about 1,047 tons).
Sold, 1,923,926 lbs. (about 859 tons).

Since last reporting the local market has been steadily rising and general excitement prevailed throughout this week's auction. Prices attained a higher level than at any time during the past two years, not only for Standard grades, which made an advance of 22 cents during the auction, but also for all the Off Grades, the demand for which increased accordingly.

At the commencement a number of dealers were operating at 92 cents for Standard Ribbed Smoked Sheet and 94 for Standard 1st Latex, and after being steady for the first hour, the market rose quickly until 98½ cents was paid. In the afternoon Chinese and Japanese speculators stepped in and bought heavily, paying up to $1.02½ per lb. for both Standard grades.

This morning the market opened quietly at 102 cents but before long speculators stepped in again and there was a jump to 106 and then to 110 cents, eventually 112 cents being paid for Standard 1st Latex and 114 for Sheet, one parcel of the former realising 114 and one of the latter 114½ cents. The market remained steady at these prices until the close, although only a few buyers were operating.

The tendency at present is slightly easier but uncertain.

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PARIS EXCHANGE

(French Wireless To Reuter)

Paris, September 22.—(Via Lyons and Koukaza).—Paris exchange:

Paris London exchange 36.64
French War Loans:
3 percent 60.55
4 percent 1917 .... 71.25
4 percent 1918 .... 71.80
5 percent 90.25

FRENCH MARKETS

(French Wireless To Reuter)

Paris, September 22.—(Via Lyons and Koukaza).—Market quotations:

Marseilles, September 22
Green peas, Japan 129
Potato starch 135
Havre, September 20:
Cotton first quality 351
Cotton second quality .. 351
Cotton third quality 347
Lyons, September 22:
Raw silk Cevennes 175
Italy 185
Syria 145
China 195
Canton 148

Siccawei Weather Report

22.—The anticyclone moves down towards N. China. A shallow depression travels between Tomsk and Irkutsk. A deeper one from the Marianas proceeds towards Tokio. Normal winter monsoon along our coasts. Very fine day generally in China.

23.—Cloudy but fine and cool weather. Pressure at the same high level. The monsoon prevails gently from ENE.

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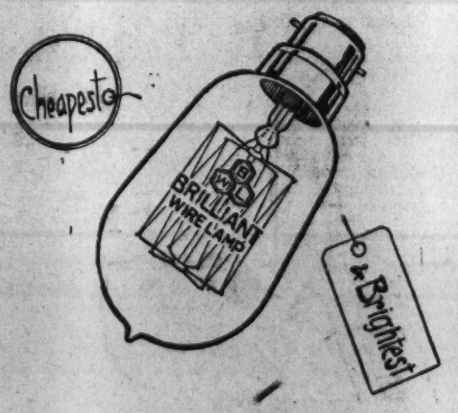

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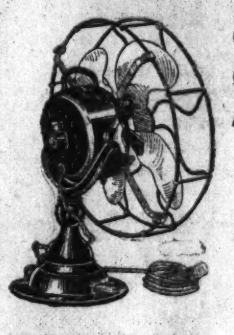

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Overcast with local thunder and showers. Moderate monsoon along the whole coast.

IMPARTIAL AND PROGRESSIVE

SHANGHAI, SEPT. 24, 1919

A Question For Chinese Officials

BREAKDOWN of the North and South Peace Conference even before its delegates got to the peace table illustrates once more, and this time sharply, the incapacity of Chinese officials in the important task of saving their country. It is still possible for them to get together and try, at least, to accomplish something and we hope they will make another effort in this direction. However, it is already evident that unless there is a decided change of method [illegible] There has been some. But all progress is relative and China in the last ten years, or the last twenty or thirty if you like, has been progressing more slowly than any other great nation. Which means that she is further behind them today than she was ten years ago. She is further behind America, Britain, France, Germany, Japan and Italy, and all these nations have been halted in their progress by the disasters of a great war.

On whose shoulders rests the shame and the blame of this? It rests on those of Chinese officialdom. China stands before the world today in poverty and rags and tears, all due to the ignorance, incapacity and corruptness of her official class. And she should be the foremost nation of all. She has the land, the climate and the people to make her that. She should produce the food for the whole Orient and she doesn't produce enough to feed herself. In her pitiable state other nations, hard put themselves by the strains and destructions of war, try to help her. But they can't do much. China has got to learn to do for herself. For this she requires leadership. Is this leadership to be Chinese or foreign? We put this question to the present officials of China and to their opponents who were formerly officials. How are they going to answer it?

The Watchers

(London Daily Mail)

Stockholm.—I am in the center of them here in this northern Venice of grandiose architecture and blue and busy waterways, of wooded heights and granite cliffs and noble monuments and dreamy parks and lakes, a twinkling fairyland by night, a clean and intensely modern city, yet one stamped with tradition and a mighty past—perhaps the most beautiful capital in Europe.

The Great Powers of Europe and America fought it out on the battlefield; one group is reputed to have conquered. Now the same Great Powers are engaged in a second battle royal, no longer allied as of yore, and Scandinavia, and more particularly Stockholm, has become the cockpit of the fight—the war not of blood but of money, the struggle for trade and commerce.

On the threshold of Bolshevism, just across the water, the effort to extract order from chaos goes on from day to day. All are assembled for the fray—Englishmen, Frenchmen, Germans, Americans, Japanese, Danes, Italians, Austrians, Spaniards. And, as I said, we are not allied as of yore. In a sphere completely unstabilised, all are in the whirlpool clutching at every passing piece of straw, at every bit of business that comes within their reach.

Here in this hotel are quiet, fearfully efficient business men, "watching Germany," "watching the peseta," "watching Denmark," "watching the oilfields," "watching Silesia," and watching, especially watching Russia—poor, shattered, self-tortured Russia with her million moujiks unhonored and unsung in their earthen mounds strewn across the Plain.

I lunched yesterday with an Englishman "watching Russia." He reminded me of an intelligence officer in the field—welding together into a whole information derived from a dozen sources, noting each trivial happening or report—and cabling home his deductions drawn or his business [illegible] Rhine to New York for demobilisation, then back to Europe again, "the Germans took five deals from me. They offered the Dutch the most ridiculous terms. It is all a wild gamble in the mark."

It is as if someone had taken the business of the world and tossed it up like the pancake at Westminster School . . . here are the boys grabbing, struggling for a piece. . . .

Only possibly the struggle is fairer at Westminster School.

They are always busy, these rebuilders of Jericho. They are here to refill and reorganise our shop windows, to sell everything from elephants to safety razor blades, and to note the rise and fall of modern empire, of the mark, the florin, the lira, the Kerensky rouble, the dollar, the yen, the franc, the krone, the piastre, the gulden, the rupee—and pounce panther-like on the slightest change on 'change and do a deal.

Methods differ with each nationality; scheming criss-crosses; one's poor, unpractical brain reels.

The war after war, white hot national struggle to live, and live better than one's neighbor, has for its setting an atmosphere of mistrust. The ramifications of it all leave one wondering.

Last night at a very local revue here the final scene developed into a seemingly pointless but furious ragtime, Stars and Stripes, Rah! Rah! Rah! Over There! Over There! The Yanks are coming! band-crashing medley.

My companion, an American with whom I had been discussing the trade war, nudged me.

"Guess that's part of the game!" was all he said.

Scolding The British Poet Laureate

(An Englishman In London Daily Mail)

The House of Commons never places itself in a more ludicrous attitude than when it professes to consider the things of the mind.

A mere reference to poetry convulses with hilarity the bright young barristers and the party hacks, of whom what the late Lord Beaconsfield called "the Senate" is composed. A member who throws ridicule on the poet who wears the official bays may rely upon a laugh. As Cibber said some two centuries ago, "A lick at the Laureate will always be a sure bait, *ad captandum vulgus*, to catch him little hearers." And so our legislators, in the certain confidence, no doubt, that every one of them does his duty, deem it becoming to have a lick at the Laureate, and to turn his dignified, time-honored office into a sport for the Philistines.

Never do they appeal to the Philistines in vain. The gentleman who asked whether "the office of Poet Laureate was a life appointment, irrespective of inspiration or intellectual output," was, of course, greeted by the House as a miracle of wit. To speak of poetry as "intellectual output" was to put the Laureate instantly in his place.

It is true that the paltry sum which he receives would be rejected indignantly by the thriftiest member of the House. It is true also that members of the House are not compelled to do an hour's work for the stipend lavished upon them. But, say our politicians, what is the Laureate if he be not our servant, and if he refuse to "deliver the goods"—a vile phrase wholly consonant with the political temper—why should we not give him, in lieu of the sack, which once was his perquisite, a curt month's warning.

After all, what is a poet compared with a politician? The poet is commonly without money and without votes. He can neither turn an election nor swell the party funds. And since money and votes are the commodities in which the politician deals, the poet is obviously not entitled to any respect. Indeed, it is considered humorous in the House of Commons to pretend not to know the Laureate's name. When Mr. Lambert had the happy thought to put the question, [illegible]o is the Poet Laureate?" the [illegible]se rocked with merriment, and [illegible] Lambert, assuredly, should be [illegible]arded for his scintillating wit [illegible] seat in the Cabinet.

[illegible]he truth is that the House of [illegible]homns cannot bear that any [illegible]e of profit or emolument under [illegible] Crown should be conferred upon [illegible]one who has not a seat upon [illegible] benches. It grudges even the [illegible] pounds which the Laureate re[illegible]ves, and chuckled with delight [illegible]n one of its number asked [illegible]hether the position carried any [illegible]ligation to write poems." Surely [illegible]lly can go no further, and it is [illegible]ot strange, when such questions [illegible]s these are welcomed with laugh[illegible]er, that the House of Commons [illegible]falls into disrepute.

Nor would our legislators be content with the Laureate, whom they erroneously suppose to be their servant, whatever he did or left undone. When Lord Salisbury, with his habitual cynicism, appointed an energetic journalist to succeed Lord Tennyson, there was general dissatisfaction that the odes provided by the Laureate's industry fell below their high occasions. The Laureate's "output," as our politicians elegantly express it, was irreproachable as to quantity—and never an hour behind its time. And it was loudly ridiculed. Now the process has been reversed. A poet has succeeded a journalist, and the witty members of the House ask what is his name, and suggest that if he do not satisfy their curiosity with odes, he should be summarily dismissed.

Thus, as usual, they wish to have it both ways, and, thus wishing, prove that they are ignorant not only of the Laureate's name but of his privileges. It is no part of his duty to flog a reluctant brain or heart into poetry. Not even shall he butcher his art to afford amusement to the poor witlings of the House of Commons, and I rejoice to know that Mr. Bridges has the clearest understanding of the impertinence of his parliamentary critics. When he was asked what he thought of their insistent questionings, he replied, "I don't care a damn."

That answer closes the argument so far as the Laureate is concerned. Something remains to be said, if we reverence the dignity of our country. The one tribute of respect publicly paid to the art of literature in the United Kingdom is the poor stipend which the Poet Laureate receives. It is not much. Where it offered to a scavenger he would go on strike instantly and his case would be inquired tenderly into by the Prime Minister. But such as it is, it represents the sole sacrifice offered by the country on the altar of art. Our Government is now spending—how or upon what nobody knows—four millions and a half a day, and there are members of Parliament who grudge the butt of sack, or its equivalent, which the King, duly honoring literature, grants to his Laureate! Even the one poor honor done to poetry is not permitted to pass without complaint, and probably it does not come into the mind of a single legislator that they who live in glass houses should refrain from stone-throwing. What answer should we get if we asked the vast majority of the Commons' House by what activity it justified the receipt apiece of £400 a year?

The insult offered to the Laureate is part and parcel of the Government's policy. Whatever happens, it will bestow no favor upon the arts if it can help it. It wishes it to be understood that there is but one road of public service acknowledged and respected—the road of politics.

Among those in civil life who have been honored by the Order of Merit, there are one novelist and one scholar, a musician, and two men of science. The rest are, or have been, all of them, in the House of Commons. And, indeed, this seems natural enough when we remember that the bestowing of honors is in the hands of the Prime Minister. And still worse appears the case of the pensions granted in the Civil List. A poor £1,200 a year suffices for all those distinguished in science or in the arts who have fallen by the way, or who, thinking rather of their work than of the future, have left their widows unprovided for. The sum disbursed annually is about one-third of what is spent by the Government every minute of all the twenty-four hours of every day in the year, and the comparison proves in what low esteem our Ministers hold those who give their lives for the health and solace of their kind.

We are, or we were, a very rich country. We were, and we are, profligate in expenditure. But when it comes to rewarding science and literature, we button up our pockets as tightly as may be, and, once having screwed ourselves up to the point of throwing a pittance to poetry, we do our best to belittle the favor by having "a lick at the Laureate."

Specialised Industrial Banking

What is regarded as probably the initial step toward specialisation in the field of American industrial banking has just been revealed by the organisation, in New York, of the Textile Banking Company, Inc., with a fully paid-up capital and surplus of $2,500,000.

The new company has the banking support of the Guaranty Trust Company of New York, which has branches in London, Liverpool, Paris and Brussels, besides correspondents throughout the world, and the Liberty National Bank of New York. The company acts, exclusively, as commercial banker for mills in the textile industry; finances raw material and merchandise requirements; and renders general banking facilities such as have been offered for many years by firms known as factors, or commission houses.

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You And I.

A Kindly Explanation Of Some Differences

By Barry Pain

There are some very marked differences between you and myself, and if you can bring yourself to admit those differences and to appreciate them properly, it may save you some disappointment.

The same things may happen to both of us, but the conclusions to be drawn from them will be totally different. For instance, I leave my umbrella in the train and lose it. What I say about it is this

"Really, I do have the most extraordinarily bad luck. It's the rarest possible thing for me to forget anything, and I think I can fairly say that there is not a more careful and methodical man in existence. And now I've lost that umbrella—absolutely new, and cost me three guineas. It's just as if Fate had some sort of special spite against me."

But if you lose your umbrella in precisely the same way. I shall certainly address you as follows:

"Well, you'vs only your own carelessness to thank for it. Upon my word, you ought not to go out without a nursemaid to look after you. You'd better have your head tied on with a piece of string, or you'll lose that one of these days. The fact that it was a new umbrella only makes it worse. I should have thought that even you would have had enough sense not to throw away a thing you've just paid three guineas for."

On Catching A Cold

Similarly, if I catch a cold, I have noticed that it is invariably an inexplicable mystery. I say with such modifications as a cold imposes upon the speech:

"Really, it's ad absolude bystery. I was all ride last dight, ad thed I woke up with this thig. You sibly car'd explaid id. Possibly, id rud dowd frob over-work."

But if it is you who catch a cold, you will hear some plain speaking from me.

"Of course," I shall say, "I'm sorry you've got a cold, but I must confess that it doesn't surprise me. Anybody who lives as you do is bound to catch cold, and until you stop taking silly risks and learn a little about hygiene you'll go on doing it. This ought to be a lesson to you, though I suppose it won't. Stand a little further off, please—you're infectious, you know."

You gather the general principle? Any trouble that happens to me shows up the hideous injustice of destiny and should be made the subject of a question in the House. But if the same thing happens to you it loses all its importance and serves you right.

But there are some things which can happen only to me, and cannot happen to you at all. For example. I can have a sleepless night and when I do, spend the next day in talking about it and am most careful to let everybody have the particulars. I tell how I heard each hour strike. I tell how I tried in vain every approved remedy. I omit nothing.

You, on the other hand, cannot have a sleepless night. If you think you have had one, and bore people by talking about it, I shall undeceive you and suppress you as follows:

"I suppose you believe what you are saying, but you must not mind if I tell you it's all nonsense. Possibly you woke for a few seconds, and possibly during those few seconds you heard a clock strike, but in the intervals you slept like a top. You look like a man who has had eight hours good sleep, and I've not the slightest doubt that you did have it. It's no good to bring stories of that kind to a real sufferer from insomnia like myself."

Naturally there must be a reason for such differences, and no doubt it is to be found in our characters. Do not be misled by superficial observers who may tell you that we are both fairly ordinary, and that there is not much to choose between us.

I have brought my power of subtle criticism to bear on this question, and it is a very different thing from your wrongheaded captiousness. I contrast my proper self-respect with your silly conceit, my firmness with your obstinacy, my kindness with your weakness, my wise deliberation with your fatal hesitation, my imaginative quality with your reckless mendacity, my candid speech with your gross incivility.

Differences of this kind must and do show themselves in many ways. I am never uninteresting in conversation even when I am discussing my personal affairs. Whereas you, though you probably do not know it, bore everybody to distraction with your long-winded tirades about yourself.

Similarly, my estimate of a character is generally marked by accuracy and insight, but your estimate—well, I do not wish to accuse you of unintelligent blunders, but it is often quite different from mine. I will give you a case in point.

It has come to my knowledge that you were present the other evening at a dinner-party to which—doubtless by some oversight—I was not invited. My name was mentioned, and you had an opportunity to pay your tribute to my natural superiority. Had you done so, you would have displayed a modesty of which I have no other evidence; it would have been surprising but gratifying. What you actually said was:

"He's a cross-grained, egotistical old gasbag."

It is in fact this grotesque absurdity on your part which has prompted me to enumerate some of the points of difference between you and me for your future guidance. I think they may be summed up adequately in a few words—I am always right, whereas you are always wrong.

I can never forget that you are only you, whereas I am actually myself.

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Bringing Up Father — By George McManus

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A Career For Ambitious Girls

London.—One of the most momentous decisions which a girl has to make is in the choice of a career. She has to feel very certain that the profession which she decides to follow will appeal to her, for the secret of success lies in the interest and enthusiasm which she is able to put into her work.

The girl who is keen, intelligent, and ambitious might well consider the career of an analytical chemist.

To begin with there are not many women who have taken up this profession, although its portals are open to them, and they can become first students, then associates, and in due course Fellows of the Institute of Chemistry. This institution was established in 1877, and to be a member of it supplies the hall mark of competency to practice. No one can become a student until she is at least 17 years of age, has passed a preliminary examination, and can prove that she is working with the object of qualifying for the practice of professional chemistry. A student is eligible to partake of all the privileges the institute affords, but has no power to vote in its constitution and management.

The training for the associateship extends over at least four years, and an associate may be admitted to the fellowship by examination after three years have elapsed.

It is no use for a girl to consider the career of an analytical chemist unless she has been particularly well educated, and although a college degree is not compulsory it has come to be almost a *sine qua non*. The cost of training varies according to the college or institute attended, but it works out roughly at £35 to £40 a year, without maintenance. The Sale of Food and Drugs Act, which become law in 1875, gave an impetus to this profession, and there are often openings as assistants to public analysts to be filled, and there is no reason why women themselves should not in time hold these enviable positions. And now that chemistry is applied to legal investigations, public health, adulteration of food, agriculture, arts, and manufactures, almost all big firms employ analysts both for testing and research work. The minimum earning capacity of an analytical chemist should not be less than £300 a year, while even assistants can earn as much as £800 and £900 a year. Women can command the same salaries as men.

There is at least one woman who is working on her own as an analytical chemist and undertaking the full responsibility; she is making an artificial manure. This example proves there is no reason why women should not make a success of this career. But—a word of warning—the supply of analytical chemists at present exceeds the demand, and although the latter is always growing, unless a girl feels competent to work her way to the top—where there is always room—she would be well advised to map out for life along some other lines.

A Cup Of Tea: A Sketch

(London Nation)

Vanya's eyes, opening drowsily on a bleak autumn morning, sought the window, but the rest of him lay so altogether still that he might have been a mechanical doll, the mechanism of which, in need of winding up, was lapsing into complete inaction. And now these eyes looked fixedly out of the window as if the mechanism had really stopped.

Outside, autumn, in her tawny, faded-red garments, with silver strands in her distraught hair, was sweeping up the ground as with a great besom and sent the leaves flying with every cold gust. The wind rose, the wind fell, then rose again, rustling followed on silence and passed into silence, now the sweeper rested on her besom, now she renewed her task with fresh vigor, causing the yellow leaves to rise in an agitated flurry, to eddy round and round in little aerial whirlpools, and in the end to swirl away with the current to settle in little heaps somewhere.

Perhaps in Vanya's heart.

There was the same rising and falling there, the same eddying flutter as of dead leaves—too dead for so young a heart, sprouting with young grass, the same agitated swirl, followed by the same settled silence as under bleak skies, broken only by the cries of the crows winging black against grey.

And this great outside world, like a huge bird, perched in his heart, was like a great weight which prevented him from rising. He wanted to rise and he could not. He wanted to cry out for his mother and found no voice. Some one opened the door quietly and looked in, then walked away. Vanya, lying under his blankets, did not even look up to see who it was. Again the door opened quietly and some one looked in, and again Vanya made no stir to show that he was awake.

The thought of breakfast suddenly came to him, and with this thought he grew more animated. Hunger crept in upon him like a slow serpent, and thirst attacked him more boldly, like a ravenous wolf. He wanted his morning tea most of all. He heard footsteps in the corridor, but these, passing his door, went on and died away. Again he heard footsteps passing his door, but these, too, went on and died away. Other footsteps passed his door, stirring each time hope in his heart, but none of them paused, and his hope fell. And between the footsteps of one person and another thoughts came to him, maddening thoughts:

What was the object of life? What was before the world began? Of course, time was always and always would go on, whatever happened; but space? Where did the world begin, and where did it end, but how could it end, surely there was something beyond that, but where did it stop, how could it stop? Then there were figures—where did numbers end?—but how could they end when they did not even begin, properly speaking—did not Gombarov tell him that even one could be divided indefinitely and infinitesimally? He knew what a million was, he even knew that a trillion was a million million million, and that a decillion was the figure one with sixty ciphers—but what came after that and after that, what name was there for a number consisting of one and a thousand ciphers? His mind grew dizzy, battalions and battalions of figures hurled themselves helplessly against a wall in his brain, and the futile combat made his head dizzy. He tried not to think, but all these problems importuned him against his will, and only the recurring footsteps in he corridor brought the recurring vision, each time more vivid of a cup of tea; how fine it would be if a plate of steaming *blintsi*—pancakes—came with it, covered with butter and cream! But it was a cup of tea which tempted him most. Sometimes his mother brought him a cup. Footsteps were audible from time to time in the corridor; they were maddening, for they always passed on. At last the door opened quietly and Rivka looked in.

"Vanya, it's time to get up."

"Rivka, won't you get me a cup of tea? Then I'll get up."

"I have other things to think of this morning, you lazy-bones."

Rivka, always kindly, had never spoken to him like that before. She walked out. Vanya shouted after her:

"I want a cup of tea, d'you hear?"

"What does Vanya want?" he heard his mother ask in the corridor.

"He wants the moon," he heard Rivka reply.

This incensed Vanya. They always said he wanted the moon when he wanted nothing more than a cup of tea.

"I want a cup of tea!" he shouted.

His mother entered. Her manner was solemn.

"I want a cup of tea so much and Rivka won't give it to me."

"Let me help you to get dressed," was all his mother said, and he let her help him on with his things.

Once he was dressed she took him by the hand, and still looking very solemn, led him not, as he supposed she would, to the dining-room, but to the children's room, to Ilya's cradle.

"Look!" she said to Vanya.

Vanya looked perplexed. He had never seen Ilya look like that before. He lay erect in his cradle, his head propped up slightly on his pillow, his eyes closed, his small arms crossed on his breast, but what astonished Vanya was the waxen pallor of his brother's face—it looked exactly the color of the candles they used in the house.

"Mamma, what is the matter with Ilyushka?" asked Vanya.

"Ilyushka is dead," said his mother, repressing her tears.

At the word "dead" Vanya looked with curiousity at the small corpse; it was not so much death that interested him as the transformation brought about by death. The waxy, doll-like quality of Ilya's plump face, which had been only a day or two ago pink and soft, and all spreading and quivering, held him fascinated, but fear and pathos had no part in this fascination; this was evident from the remark which he presently addressed to his mother:

"Mamma, when will the tea be ready?"

Vanya's mother did not appear to hear his question. She went to her own room. No one paid any attention to Vanya.

"I want my tea!" Vanya shouted at the top of his voice.

And though he went on crying his cry through the house, no one seemed to hear him, for they were all thinking of the dead.

Mother's Eight-Hour Day

The other day, for the first time for years, I met my neighbor Mrs. Exe, without her little brood. The sight was so astonishing that involuntarily I exclaimed in accusing tones, "Where are the children?" My intonation might have been taken to imply a belief of sheer neglect on Mrs. Exe's part or even of something more dire. Really and truly, for this devoted mother to be seen alone argued a fault grave to criminality.

With a pretty little flush overspreading her charming face, Mrs. Exe explained the amazing situation. Her conscience, it appeared, was quite at ease. She was acting under her doctor's orders.

"I am put on parole not to exceed eight hours' work a day," said this devoted mother, "and this is my time off."

"Yes; I miss them dreadfully," she continued, as we walked down the street together. "I always took them out morning and afternoon and gave them their meals and put them to bed——"

"And sewed for them and dressed them and cooked for them, and did everything else for them," I added, "and worked your self to the shadow of a woman you are now. And the result of this new regime?"

"Well; I am bound to confess the plan is working quite well," concluded Mrs. Exe. "I am on my way at present to change my books at the library. I had almost entirely given up reading. There was so much else to do. Then tomorrow there is a concert I want to attend, and the next day I am going to see some pictures. I love music and painting, you know—they used to be my subjects. It is so jolly to work them up again."

"And the children?" I asked rather doubtfully.

"Oh, the children," she laughed, "are absolutely all right. They don't miss me one bit, and when we are together we are greater friends than ever."

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TIME TABLE

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Mail 101.	Mail 3.		Miles	Peking-Mukden Line		Mail 4.
20.35	8.35		0	dep. Peking arr.		19.50
23.46	11.12			arr. Tientsin-Central dep.		17.00
23.50	11.17		84	dep. Tientsin-Central arr.		16.53
24.00	11.25			arr. Tientsin-East dep.		16.45
19.35	. .		524	arr. Mukden dep.		. .

Local 5.	Mail 3.	Exp. 1.		Tientsin-Pukow Line		Exp. 2.	Mail 4.	Local 6.
6.45	9.45	11.30	0	dep.	Tientsin-East arr.	17.05	15.45	20.15
6.55	9.55	11.40	2.71	arr.	Tientsin-Central dep.	16.55	15.35	20.05
7.25	10.15	11.55		dep.	Tientsin-Central arr.	16.31	15.2	19.45
13.02	16.30	15.30	73	dep.	Tsangchow dep.	13.06	11.28	15.25
16.40	19.20	18.08	148	dep.	Tsehow dep.	10.33	8.47	11.56
19.57	22.12	20.21	—	arr.	Tsinanfu dep.	8.06	6.00	8.30
7.	‡		220		‡			8.
6.00	22.25	20.31	—	dep.	Tsinanfu arr.	7.56	5.40	19.02
9.27	1.00	22.31	266	dep.	Tsinanfu dep.	6.01	3.25	16.24
12.27	3.47	0.38		arr.	Yenchowfu dep.	3.49	0.40	13.06
12.47	4.02	0.48	318	dep.	Yenchowfu arr.	3.39	0.02	12.58
16.30	6.55	8.16	377	dep.	Linching dep.	1.20	21.24	9.26
19.02	8.45	4.50	—	arr.	Hsuchowfu dep.	23.36	19.20	6.30
9.	‡		420		‡			10.
5.40	9.00	4.57	—	dep.	Hsuchowfu arr.	23.29	19.00	20.50
11.26	13.02	8.33	523	arr.	Pengpu dep.	19.53	14.55	15.20
11.51	13.20	8.40		dep.	Pengpu arr.	19.46	14.35	14.09
18.27	17.34	11.52	600	dep.	Chuchow dep.	16.48	10.50	8.27
20.08	18.55	13.00	631	arr.	Pukow dep.	15.30	9.20	6.40

N. Exp.	Exp.		Shanghai-Nanking Line		Exp.	N. Exp.
23.00	14.20	0	dep.	Nanking-Ferry arr.	14.15	6.50
7.00	21.00	193	arr.	Shanghai-North dep.	7.55	23.00

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Jessfield ..... dep	....	7.51	9.16	10.23	....	15.06	16.06	....	19.30
Soochow ..... dep	....	7.58	9.23	10.38	....	15.13	16 13	....	19.36
Lunghwa Junction..... dep	....	8.15	9.40	10.53	....	15.30	16.29	....	19 5
Shanghai South ..... dep.	....	*7.45*	*9.10*	*10.20*	*13.35*	*15.00*	*16.00*	*17.55*	*19.20*
Lunghwa Junction ... dep.	....	*8.15*	*9.40*	*10.53*	*13.52*	*15.30*	*16.29*	*18.12*	*19.50*
Soochow ..... dep.	....	8.59	10.48	12.02	....	16.07	17.42	....	21.25
Kashi ..... dep.	....	9.51	11.52	13 28	....	16.53	18 49	....	21 2
Kashing ..... dep.	7.40	10.25	12 30	14.35	....	17.2	19.20	....	21.5
Yehsih ..... dep.	8.45	11.05	13.15	15.50	....	17.53	....	....	22.2
Chengsa ..... dep.	9.45	11.41	14 00	16 50	....	18 24	....	....	22 5
Nangchow ..... dep.	11.10	12.50	15.25	18.40	....	19.19	....	....	23 4
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Kenshangmun ..	dep.	7.10	8.50	11.40	14.15	16.15	17 45	23 15	Hangchow	dep.	7.30	10.40	12.45	14.55	16.40	19.15	23.40
Hangchow.....	dep.	7.20	9.15	11 52	14.24	16 25	18 07	23 25	Kenshangmun	dep.	7.42	10.57	12.57	15.12	6.52	19.27	23.52
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Russo-Asiatic	Tls. 250
Marine Insurances	
Canton	$440 B.
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Union of Canton ...	Hk. 215 B.
Yangtsze	Tls. 270
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China Fire	$138
Hongkong Fire	$345 B.
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Indo-China Def	$193
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Kaiping	Tls. 12½ B.
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Hongkong Dock	$182 B.
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Today						
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River Ports	Train	..	..	..	..	22.00
Amoy	Kobe Maru	..	..	..	..	22.00
Tientsin	Singan	7.00	..	..	..	..
Weihaiwei and Chefoo	Kinsang	..	..	..	..	10.30
Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	Chiyo	1.00	..	..	..	10.30
Hankow	Chaisang	17.00	..	..	..	..
Amoy and Swatow	Tungchow	17.00	..	..	..	..
Vostock and Siberia via Pukow and Harbin (Daily except Sunday)	Train					
Ningpo	Hsin Pekin					
Tientsin	Train					
Hankow	Train					
Vladivostok	Train					
Tomorrow.						
Weihaiwei and Chefoo	Shuntien					
Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	Shuntien					
River Ports	Train & Str.					
Swatow, Hongkong & Canton	Choysang					
Vladivostok and Siberia	Via P. & H.					
Dalny	Kobe Maru					
Amoy, Hongkong & Canton	Sinklang					
Amoy and Hongkong	do					
Swatow and Hongkong	Choysang					
Tientsin	Singan					
Friday, September 26.						
Vladivostok	Simbirsk					
Swatow, Hongkong & Canton	Yingchow					
Swatow and Hongkong	Yingchow					
River Ports	Train & Str.					
Japan Ports	Yawata Maru					
Saturday, September 27.						
Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	Fengtien					
Weihaiwei and Chefoo	do					
Sunday, September 28.						
H'kong, Straits, S. Ports and Europe via Suez	Atsuta Maru					
Monday, September 29.						
France, etc.	*Porthos					
Hongkong and Canton	Shantung					
Hongkong	do					
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H'kong, S. Ports, Straits, Ceylon, India and Europe, via Suez	do					

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